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Weather today Snow.
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DR. COOK DESERTED BY HIS PERSONAL LAWYER

Attorney Henry W. Wack Severed Their Legal Relations Some Time Ago.

ARE RECORDS FAKED?

Faith of Copenhagen Scientists Unshaken by Attacks Upon the Explorer.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Dr. Frederick Cook's personal lawyer, Henry Wellington Wack, has severed relations with his client.

Mr. Wack refused tonight to confirm or deny his withdrawal, but it can be affirmed on competent authority that after a consultation with his partners Mr. Wack wrote Dr. Cook, so long ago as November 30, that he must beg him to seek legal advice elsewhere.

"I have not the remotest idea," said Mr. Wack tonight, "where Dr. Cook is keeping himself or why he persists in seclusion when his presence is vital to his own interests and his friends'. I read that he is in Brooklyn, in a sanitarium in Maine, in a Philadelphia asylum, but personally I incline to the belief that he is abroad.

Facts Established.

"One thing, however, is certain—there is agreement tonight for the first time among those who have always believed that Dr. Cook discovered the North pole, those who have never believed and those who have waited to be informed on disinterested authority. Partisans and skeptics alike now concede certain cardinal facts which admit of no argument, namely: Dr. Cook has sent his records to the University of Copenhagen for the inspection of a commission. Two men—one a broker who says he acted as go-between, and one a skilled navigator—have sworn that they supplied the doctor with a complete set of fabricated observations, covering his trip northward step by step to the pole, in agreement with his narrative as originally published. These sworn statements carry within themselves their own proof or disproof.

"That is to say, if the papers now in the hands of the University of Copenhagen contain any considerable portion of the boreal observations which Captain August Loose says he worked out by the reverse route,' no further north than the Gramatan inn in Bronxville, N. Y., the deduction is that Dr. Cook felt no confidence in the adequacy of his own proofs.

"If, on the contrary, the Copenhagen records show that Dr. Cook made no evident use of the calculations Captain Loose says he supplied, it will be fair to assume that he accepted them only as checks on his own data. The inquiry will then revert to its first status: Ahe the original observations of Dr. Cook sufficient?"

Cook's Friends Mystified.

Asked flatly if he had or had not withdrawn from Dr. Cook's affairs, Mr. Wack said:

'This is not the time for an announcement. It might be thought I had deserted Dr Cook in his need. He may be delirious in a sanitarium or on the ocean unable to defend himself"

A close friend of Mr. Wack reiterated, however that Mr. Wack had long ago decided to close dealings with a client who did not keep his counsel informed of his intentions or movements.

To this phase of the situation, Mr. Wack made this contribution:

"Dr Cook has disappeared of his own volition and not by the suasion of his friends I last heard from him by telephone on Tuesday, November 23 I had seem him personally two days before

"Last night Dr. Cook's friend, Charles Wake, confessed to me that he had not the faintest idea where the doctor now is and that he had not heard from him since Tuesday, November 23.

"My very urgent letters to the doctor have remained unanswered, although they demanded a reply from

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20 SEAMEN LOST ON LAKE ERIE

ONE STEAMER FOUNDERS; ANOTHER BURNS.

No Trace of 13 Men Who Escaped in Lifeboat—Five Drowned in Sight of Port.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 9.—In the wintry gale that has swept Lake Erie for 24 hours, the big freighter W. C. Richardson of Cleveland, bound from Duluth to Buffalo with a cargo of flax seed, foundered early today when she was within half a mile of the harbor entrance. Five of the crew perished. The others, numbering 14, were rescued by the crew of the propeller William A. Paine, which had anchored on the Waverly shoals.

The Paine will be unable to enter the harbor until the storm abates. The only communication established with the Paine today was by Captain Farrell of the tug Mason. Circling around the vessel, he learned that Chief Engineer S. E. Mayberry, Second Mate E. J. Clary and three deck hands or firemen had lost their lives.

The cause of the wreck can only be surmised until Captain Burke is brought ashore, but it is believed that while he was trying to swing his boat around at anchor to ride out the storm the cargo shifted, causing the steamer to list so badly that she was swamped. Her prow and one funnel show above water.

The insurance on the Richardson, amounting to $250,000, expires at noon tomorrow. The cargo, valued at $400,000, was fully insured.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 9.—Fighting every inch of their way in the teeth of a gale in a small boat six members of the crew of the Anchor line freighter Clarion reached here today with details of the burning of the vessel and the loss of the first mate and a seaman. The captain and twelve of the crew made off from the doomed ship in a steel lifeboat.

Today tugs were sent out to search for them. Fears were expressed that they would be unable to save themselves in the high seas and gale.

Chief Engineer A. E. Welch, one of the men saved, was in charge of the crew when the fire broke out. He saw Mate Thompson run below when the alarm was given.

"He never returned," said Welch.

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SENATOR MONEY CHOSEN

Succeeds Culberson as Chairman of Democratic Caucus. Shively, Vice Chairman

WASHINGTON, Dec 9.—The senate Democrats, in caucus today, elected Senator Money, of Mississippi, chairman, a position which carries with it the floor leadership, in place of Senator Culberson, of Texas, who resigned because of ill health. Senator Shively of Indiana, was chosen vice chairman Party politics were

U. S. SENATOR H. D. MONEY.

not discussed, but went over to the next meeting

Senator Bacon of Georgia had been mentioned very prominently for the chairmanship of the caucus, but would not consent to be a candidate in any sense if it involved a contest with Senator Money.

Senator Money, who is now serving the last year of his term, has been in the Senate 12 years and was vice chairman of the caucus when Senator Culberson resigned.

TRAINING FOR NATIONAL GAMES.

Uncle Sam's gymnasium has just been opened for the final training of President Taft's cabinet officers. Feats of courage, daring and strength, which would warm the heart of the strenuous Roosevelt form the daily routine of action.

MANY FRIENDS WILL ACT AS PALLBEARERS

BOYNTON FUNERAL TO BE HELD TODAY.

After Lying at Elks Home, Body will Be Taken to Congregational Church.

The funeral of Winfield Scott Boynton, who died on Tuesday in Denver, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the First Congregational church, the Rev. W. W. Ramey, pastor, assisted by the Rev. Anna W. Moore, pastor of the Second Congregational church, officiating. The body will lie in state from 10 o'clock this morning until 1 o'clock this afternoon in the Elks Home, corner Bijou street and Cascade avenue, and will be escorted to the church at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon by the pallbearers. The casket will not be opened at the church.

Impressive services will be held at the church. A eulogy will be delivered by Justice John Campbell of the state supreme court, and special music will be sung by the choir, and selections by a quartet. Chopin's "Marche Funebre" will be played on the organ. Interment will be in Evergreen cemetery. The body of Mr. Boynton arrived here last night, and was taken at once to the undertaking rooms of Fairleys and Law.

The Pallbearers.

The active pallbearers have been selected from friends living in Colorado Springs, Colorado City, Denver and Cripple Creek. They are: C. C. Hamlin, Ralph C. Bardfield, R. J. Verner, A. M. Hill and Dr. A. C. Friedman, all of this city; John B. Stephen of Colorado City, Dewey C. Bailey of Denver and D. N. Sullivan of Cripple Creek.

Those who will act as honorary pallbearers are.

Harry Hutchinson, E C F. Whitaker, D. N Heizer, Joseph H. Schisler, Karl C. Schuyler, W. S Jackson, J. Arthur Connell, F. L Sherwin, W T. Kasson, A. E. Carleton, Merton E Stubbs, George Birdsall, C T. Fertig, L L. Aitken, F. F. Schreiber, Clarence Carpenter, Edward Allen, H H Grafton, J F Morgan, J. E Little, R. L Holland, Ira Harris, H L. Price, J P Madden, J A. Orr, H. F. Avery, Frank M. Downer, J W. Shearer, E. P. Shove, P B. Stewart James Owen, W. W Price, C. D. Ford, A. G. Hopkins and Dr. J. R. Robinson.

Resolutions of Regret.

Yesterday morning the board of county commissioners, B A Martin, chairman, J P. Madden and H Hutchinson, adopted the following resolution

Resolved, That this board has heard

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L. A. DE ARMOND KILLED

Cousin of Congressman Who Was Burned Dies From Electric Shock.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Dec 9.—L. A De Armond, a cousin of Congressman De Armond of Missouri, who was burned to death a few weeks ago, met a tragic death in the storeroom of his place of business here tonight.

De Armond was in the act of turning on an incandescent light attached to a long drop cord. Grasping the brass attachment with both hands he received 110 volts. At the time he was standing in several inches of water which had flooded the storeroom from the storm. He dropped to the floor clutching the globe and was found in that position by his son Waylan 15 years old who had gone into the store to search for his father.

De Armond was one of this city's prominent and wealthy business men. He is survived by a widow and four children

COAL FAMINE CAUSED BY SWITCHMEN'S STRIKE

St. Paul and Minneapolis Face a Serious Situation.—Strikebreakers Defeated at Seattle.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 9.—There was little apparent change in the situation of the switchmen's strike here today. Interest now centers at Cincinnati, where President Hawley of the Switchmen's union and President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor will confer tomorrow relative to the situation.

One of the companies supplying coal to the school board today announced that it would be unable to deliver coal to the schools tomorrow according to agreement and the manager of the company stated that there was imminent danger of a famine in the vicinity. Strike-breakers are reported to have arrived at various points in the west.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec 9.—Shippers in Minneapolis almost without exception state that, reports to the contrary notwithstanding, the railroads are in worse condition for handling freight today than they were at the opening of the switchmen's strike.

Half the coal firms in the city are out of hard coal today and with a temperature far below zero serious results are feared.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 9.—The switchmen's strike on the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads is more than half broken, according to operating officials. The switchmen, however, say they will win because the railroads have found it impossible to get experienced switchmen outside of the union. On the water front not a car is moving. The United States transport Dix, which was to have sailed for the Philippines last week with army supplies, is lying unloaded at her wharf waiting for cars that are tied up by the strike.

WASHINGTON, Dec 9.—A drastic proposition to meet the strike of the switchmen on the railroads entering St. Paul is contained in a bill amending the Erdman act, which will be introduced tomorrow by Representative Steenerson of Minnesota, providing for receiverships of roads involved in such controversies if deemed necessary.

DAILY DIET HINTS

By DR. T. J. ALLEN
Food Specialist.

"AS A MAN EATS SO HE THINKS."

While the mind is the measure of the man" always, the body is the measure of the mind, too. They are reciprocal. It cannot be denied, even by the most enthusiastic advocates of the proposition, "mind is all," that a broken arm or a disordered liver interferes with mental action. That the body rules the mind, in this stage of existence, is just as true as that the mind rules the body. The importance of right mental attitude is not underestimated by saying that physical development determines spiritual manifestation. Even Ole Bull could not produce Stradivarian music on a one-stringed fiddle. The body is built from biled and that is made from food. The best material will not make a good house without good builders, working intelligently, skillfully, according to a plan, wisely designed by a skillful architect. The material must be on hand when needed and all must work harmoniously. To eat right is no less important than to think right, for true as it is that as a man thinks so he becomes, it is equally true that as a man eats so he thinks.

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JAN. 6 PROBABLE DATE OF BANQUET

MANY MEMBERS MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION IN FAVOR.

Arrangement Committee Appointed at Regular Monthly Meeting. Donations Voted.

The annual banquet of the Colorado Springs Merchants association will probably be held Thursday, January 6, 1910. This date was not definitely decided upon at the regular monthly meeting of the association last night at the Alamo hotel, but as it is the date favored by a majority of the members present, it is likely that the committee appointed to make arrangements for the affair will set it for that evening.

The arrangement committee consists of Mark Raftry, J. F. Lilly and W. H. Tucker. The membership committee announced that it will soon inaugurate a campaign to secure more members for the association.

There were about 20 members present at the meeting, and following the appointment of the committee to look after the banquet, it was unanimously voted to donate $50 to help defray the expenses of entertaining the Colorado Realty Dealers association, which holds its quarterly meeting in Colorado Springs, January 19 and 20. In addition, $25 was contributed to the Pikes Peak Poultry association, to aid in the expense of its approaching show.

Two new members were taken into the association last night. They are the J S. Appel Suit and Cloak company and the Miners and Farmers Trading and Transfer company of Pike View. Their names were recorded by F F. Wulff, former secretary, who acted in that capacity last night in the absence of the regular officer, A. B Waterman. A resolution was adopted instructing the secretary to write a letter of cheer to the treasurer, M. B. Clotworthy, who is ill at Glockner sanitarium, and to send him a bouquet of flowers.

The next regular meeting of the association will be held Thursday, January 13.

TAFT SUMMONS CANNON

President Holds Long Conference With Vice President and Speaker of House.

WASHINGTON, Dec 9.—President Taft called Vice President Sherman and Speaker Cannon into conference today, and for more than an hour the three were closeted in the President's private room.

When Mr Sherman and the speaker left they declined to comment on the conference, declaring that it was not a subject for public discussion, and that if any information was to be given out, it must come from President Taft. The latter declined to talk.

Leaders in Congress, however, are of the opinion that the conference dealt with the legislative program to be followed in the present session

CALL ALL UNION MEN OUT AT HOMESTAKE

LEAD, S. D., Dec 9.—The executive committee of the Lead and Central City unions of the Western Federation of Miners today called out all union watchmen and others employed by the Homestake company This order affects about 200 men, who have been allowed to work since the strike in the mine management

ICE GORGE DAMS ARKANSAS RIVER

PUEBLO, Dec 9.—As a result of the continued cold weather in this vicinity, one of the worst ice gorges in years has accumulated in the Arkansas river 19 miles east of here and the river is flooding the surrounding fields. The county commissioners took today with dynamite for the purpose of blowing up the ice

ZELAYA TO RETIRE WITHIN FEW WEEKS

NICARAGUAN PRESIDENT WILL ABDICATE.

Action of United States Denounced at Meeting of Central Americans in Mexico City.

MANAGUA, Nic., Dec. 9.—It is authoritatively stated here that Zelaya will surrender the presidency within three weeks.

The intentions of the United States are giving the Nicaraguan government considerable anxiety and the administration is puzzled as to what to do because of the uncertainty of the American government's next move. There are no military preparations discernible here and at Corinto all is quiet.

The captain of the United States gunboat Vicksburg, now at Corinto, has received no instructions from Washington.

BLUEFIELDS, (by Wireless via Colon), Dec. 9.—Advices received here from Rama state that General Vasquez, in command of a division of Zelaya's forces, yesterday proposed a conference to General Estrada, leader of the revolutionists The latter sent General Fornes Diaz to confer with General Vasquez but the result of the meeting has not been ascertained. It is believed that General Vasquez is seeking an advantageous surrender on his own initiative.

General Vasquez commanded the government forces at the last battle near Rama and it was reported that he had been ordered court-martialed because of the defeat of the government troops.

The east coast is tranquil. The United States cruiser Des Moines arrived here this morning.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The statement telegraphed from Nicaragua to London, that the United States had demanded the resignation of President Zelaya, and that he had indicated his purpose to retire by the end of the present month, is declared at the state department to be without foundation.

The story from Panama via New Orleans, that some time ago President Zelaya had issued an order that all Americans captured while serving with the revolutionary army should be put to death is discredited here.

MONETERRY, Mex., Dec 9.—Enrique Creel, governor of the state of Chihuahua and formerly ambassador to the United States, passed through this city today on the way to Washington on a mission for the Mexican government.

"We entertain no doubt that all the difficulties arising in Nicaragua in the last weeks will be adjusted in a manner satisfactory to our sister republics of the south," said Mr. Creel.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 9.—Fifty members of the various colonies of the Central American republics here met tonight at a private residence and at a late hour adopted resolutions denouncing President Taft, Secretary Knox and the action of the United States toward Nicaragua.

VAIL FAVORS MONOPOLY

Interesting Testimony Given at Investigation of Telegraph-Telephone Merger.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—A little but not a great deal of the inside of the recent absorption of the Western Union Telegraph company by the American Telegraph and Telephone company (the Bell interests) came out today in the testimony of Theodore N. Vail, president of the American Telephone and Telegraph company, before the legislative inquiry here.

Mr. Vail said he favored a monopoly

Concerning the purchase of the Western Union stock from the Goulds, Mr Vail said:

"There were purchased about 300,000 shares of a par value of $30,000,000 out of a total Western Union stock issue of about $100,000,000. I do not care to state the price"

He repeated what has already been announced, that the two companies are not to be merged as to operation and management, with the exception that they will use joint wires where practicable When he was questioned concerning the advisability of government regulation of telegraphs and telephones, state or national, Mr. Vail replied simply "that depends on the regulation."

ACTION BY CONGRESS ON WATERWAYS EXPECTED

President Taft Gives Assurance the Matter Will Receive Earnest Consideration.

INTERFST IS AROUSED

Improvement Association Committees Invade Capitol and Interview Leaders.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Assurances that steps of an important character toward the development of a system of waterways improvement in the heart of the country would be taken by the present Congress were given by President Taft to delegations which he received at the White House today.

To perhaps 300 committeemen, representing the Ohio Valley Improvement association, the President promised to bring what influence he could in favor of the improvement of the Ohio. Later to the committee of 500 from the New Orleans "Lakes-to-the-Gulf Deep Waterways" convention he said that "something is doing" and that the interest of those in Congress who heretofore have turned a cold shoulder to the entire subject of waterway improvement has been aroused.

Mr. Taft said he had been assured by members of committees that have such legislation in charge that the whole matter of waterway improvement would receive earnest consideration at the present session.

Mr. Taft expressed to the Ohio delegates regret that his remarks to the rivers and harbors congress yesterday "had cast a wet blanket" over the convention and said that he had only intended to help the gathering along by pointing out the practical method of accomplishing the object desired

Improvements Proposed.

The object of the visit of the Ohio Valley delegation was to enlist the President's support for a nine-foot channel from Pittsburg to Cairo all the year round.

Four governors and two ex-governors headed the committee of 500 which had been charged by the New Orleans convention to present to the President resolutions asking for a 14-foot channel for the Mississippi.

Earlier in the day the committee invaded the Capitol and paid visits to Vice President Sherman, Speaker Cannon, Senator Frye of the Senate committee on commerce and Representative Alexander of New York, chairman of the House committee on rivers and harbors. From none of these leaders did the committee receive much encouragement. Speaker Cannon said rather pointedly that it was one thing to propose and another to select from a host of projects and legislate for their improvement. At the same time he said he had no doubt that the project represented by the committee of middle west business men would receive careful consideration from the committee on rivers and harbors He said he had voted for every rivers and harbors bill since 1883, whether his party was in power or not

Proceedings in Convention.

More than a dozen delegates to the convention of the National Rivers and Harbors congress told what they thought about the policy of improving waterways of the United States and methods that should be pursued in bringing about the end desired at the meeting of that organization today

One of the strongest pleas for national improvement of the waterways was made by Secretary Nagel of the department of commerce and labor who declared that the very nature of the interstate navigation made the national government responsible for providing suitable water courses for commerce.

One of the most interesting speakers of the day was Senator Burton of Ohio, who, without taking issue with those who advocated a bond issue, re-

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OUR NEW NAVY HAS COST $1,416,138,448 AND EXCELS GERMANY'S IN FIGHTING TONNAGE

WASHINGTON, Dec 9.—The navy year-book for 1909, compiled by Pittman Pulsifer, clerk of the Senate committee on naval affairs, shows the race for second place among the navies of the world to be still very close between the United States and Germany.

Of fighting ships (battleships and armored cruisers), built, building and provided for this country has 45 and Germany 46 but the aggregate tonnage for the United States is 650 241, as against 654 434 Germany, however, has a larger number of small vessels than this country and her total tonnage is 830 692 as against 785,637 for the United States Germany's superiority in respect to all vessels is due largely to her torpedo boat destroyers of which she has 97 as against our 36 Germany also outnumbers us in the matter of large guns, the number being 208 as against 180

Of fighting vessels the American tonnage is 73,000 tons in excess of that of Germany

Great Britain is shown to possess 104 fighting ships with a total tonnage of 1,480 650 France has 40 fighting vessels, but her tonnage is more than a hundred thousand tons less than that of either the United States or Germany This difference is due to the fact that an exceptionally large proportion of her ships are cruisers

The American vessels are the only ones carrying 13-inch guns and the German vessels the only ones carrying 11-inch guns All the big guns on British ships are 12-inchers Thirty-two of our guns are of the 13-inch caliber

The book shows a total appropriation of $1,416 138 448 for the construction of the new navy since it began in 1883

NEW YORK FORTIFIED AGAINST ATTACK BY MINES ANCHORED IN DEEP WATER

WASHINGTON, Dec 9.—After years of fruitless endeavor, submarine mines have been planted in the deep water of the "race" at the eastern entrance to Long Island Sound and New York city is today better fortified against attack by sea than ever before.

Announcement of the solution of this difficult problem was made today by General Arthur Murray, chief of the coast artillery, in his annual report to the secretary of war

Until recent experiments were made it was believed by army and navy officers that mines could not be placed in water deeper than 100 or 125 feet It was found however, by officers of the coast artillery that it was quite as easy to plant the mines in deep water as in shallow if heavy enough anchors were obtainable So with anchors weighing 1,600 pounds mines were planted in the "race" at a depth of 185, then 200, and finally 300 feet.

General Murray (continued) in his report the permanent establishment of one submarine as a part of the essential defense of each of the following points

Admiralty Inlet, Washington; Boston harbor; the approaches to the Chesapeake bay and the entrance to Long Island sound by the East River. This would be used as an adjunct to the harbor defense already there.

EIGHT BELOW ZERO AT OMAHA YESTERDAY

OMAHA, Dec 9.—This is the official thermometer at the Union Pacific headquarters [illegible] which [illegible]

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Porcelain Crowns $10.00, now.....$5.00
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MANY FRIENDS WILL

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with great regret of the death of Winfield S. Boynton, for three years a member of the board of commissioners and for two terms sheriff of this county, in both of which positions he acquitted himself with marked ability and to the best interests of the county.

Resolved, That we extend our heartfelt sympathies to his stricken family, and trust that their grief may be mitigated by the recollection that during his life he was foremost in the performance of his duties to his county, state and fellowmen.

Resolved, That the flags be placed at half mast upon the county court house and that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this board, and a copy thereof sent to the afflicted family.

The Colorado Springs Mining stock association also adopted resolutions prepared by a special committee composed of E. P. Shove, James F. Burns and W. W. Price. They follow:

Whereas, it has pleased an overruling Providence to remove from the roll of membership of the Colorado Springs Mining Stock association the name of Winfield S. Boynton, an honored member of this organization; and

Whereas, it is fitting that this association should give expression to the sincere regret of its members at the departure of our worthy friend and associate; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That in the death of Mr. Boynton this association has lost an honorable member whose upright character and universally acknowledged integrity in all the business relations of life won and retained for him the confidence and respect of all who were brought into contact with him;

Resolved, That this association keenly sympathizes with his mourning relatives in their great loss;

Resolved, That the secretary cause these resolutions to be spread upon the records of this association, and a copy thereof to be transmitted to the relatives of the deceased.

The State Republican club in Denver adopted a resolution of regret, in which Mr Boynton's work in the Republican party is set forth. This is signed by Timothy O'Connor, George Steiger and J. J. Laton, the committee appointed by the club.

DR. COOK DESERTED

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any man solicitous for his own affairs."

Mr Wack, however did receive a letter from Mrs Cook on December 6, dated December 4 and posted December 5, in Brooklyn, asking him to discontinue all expenses on the doctor's account and to forward certain papers which Mr Wack understood to be affidavits bearing on the doctor's disputed ascent of Mount McKinley These affidavits the doctor had originally intended to take with him to Europe, where they could be available for the University of Copenhagen if desired

Consulted With Loose

Some of Dr Cook's friends admitted tonight that he consulted freely with Captain August W Loose, and even sanctioned their joining his at the Glacier inn Whether this propinquity served as an opportunity for conspiration merely, or for collusion is a point on which even Capt Loose did not care to pronounce positively

The captain, however went hastily into the town this afternoon.

"I went to Dr. Cook," he said, "thinking I could help him. A short talk convinced me he was ignorant of some of the essentials of navigation. My task enlarged, but that was no question for me to debate so long as I was paid. Now that the payments have ceased and the doctor has disappeared, I speak out.

"I supplied the figures. They were gratefully received. What use was made of them is bound to appear."

Banker George H. Dunkle received newspaper men today in his office.

"I make no claim," he said, "that the data prepared for Dr. Cook by Captain Loose were embodied in the explorer's proofs sent to Copenhagen.

"I told Dr. Cook of my doubts of his discovery of the pole and told him I was in a position to prepare observations that would confound the said [illegible] He seemed greatly pleased and at this suggestion Loose made the calculations."

The last of the friends of the explorer to go to his aid today was Charles Wade of the Equitable Life Insurance society. He said:

"I don't believe in the published statements of either Dunkle or Captain Loose. From what I have seen in the statements of these men concerning Dr. Cook they seem grossly distorted and absolutely without semblance of the truth. These men have put themselves outside of the law and it is only the word of these against that of Dr. Cook. The affidavits of these men are so adroitly worded that Dr. Cook is powerless to proceed against them for perjury."

Still Have Faith in Explorer.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 9.—Dr. Torp, rector of the University of Copenhagen, said tonight that the charges published in the New York Times against Dr. Frederick A. Cook are based on pure fiction. Nevertheless, he added, he would accept the offer to examine the documents prepared by Captain Loose and Dunkle, which the Times has agreed to send to Copenhagen.

Commodore Novgaard, the noted explorer, Prof Olufson, secretary of the Danish Geographical society, and Dr. Carl Burran, the astronomer, also discredit the accusation against Dr. Cook.

The National Tidende, in an editorial, says.

"It is natural that calumnies should increase when Dr. Cook's papers are on the eve of examination, the object of his accusers being to influence the committee."

Walter Lonsdale secretary to Dr. Cook who brought the explorer's records to Copenhagen, declared that the accusations published in New York and London against Dr Cook were totally unfounded He said that the papers delivered today to the University of Copenhagen contained the original observations made by Dr Cook during the expedition, without alterations

Mr Lonsdale stated further that the explorer's request was founded on these and dictated by Dr Cook to him no other person having anything to do with it Loose and Dinkle Mr Lonsdale added, were guests at the Waldorf Astoria during Dr Cook's stay there, but the explorer's acquaintance with them was slight

The committee which will examine Dr Cook's records is composed of the following President, Prof Elis Stromgren, director of the Astronomical observatory Dr C F Pechule, astronomer Gustave Holm, explorer Prof A B Jensen, president of the School of Navigation Dr Royder, director of the Meteorological office, and Dr. F A Engelmann, director of the Lund observatory

Believe Dr Cook Crazy

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9.—"I still have the same opinion of Dr Cook that I had when this controversy started. He is a fraker Dr Cook is probably insane," said Rear Admiral Melville, U. S. N., retired, today.

"If Dr. Cook faked records of observations which were sent to Copenhagen and expected to get away with the fraud he must be crazy. I will say now that I do not believe he was within hundred of miles of the North pole," said Amos Bonsall, the survivor of the Kane expedition.

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20 SEAMEN LOST

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"The fire spread so quickly that there was no time to effect a rescue.

"We saw Captain Bell and the forward crew launching the lifeboat and we turned to the light wooden boat on the davits aft. Her lines were coated with ice and long before we got them clear, Captain Bell and the other members of the crew had succeeded in getting away in the larger boat.

"In trying to launch our lifeboat poor Oliver McCauley missed his footing and fell into the water and we never saw him again.

"Our boat was swamped by a big roller the moment it touched the water. There we were with a roaring furnace beneath our feet and without a lifeboat even if one could live in such a sea.

"For four hours we fought the flames to keep the Clarion above water as long as possible in the hope of rescue. The intense heat had driven us to about the limit of endurance when we were rescued by the Hanna."

As Captain Bell failed to come to the burning ship to get them off, Welch is of the opinion that the lifeboat capsized and that the captain and other members of the crew were drowned.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Word was received here that the British ship Johanna has been lost at sea. She was bound from the Philippines to New York with a $250,000 cargo of sugar. Twenty-three men were on board. Twelve landed safely with Captain Knickerson at Samana, Santo Domingo. It is believed that the other 11 men had been lost.

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Dec. 9. Six men were drowned this afternoon in the harbor. They were on a dredge being towed into the harbor, when it suddenly sprang a leak and sank. A crew of 15 men was on the dredge but nine escaped by jumping to a scow.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Dec. 9.—Fifteen lives and half a million dollars in property lost on land and sea is the toll now said to have been taken by the storm that swept Newfoundland and its waters last week. In addition to three Gloucester, Mass., fishing schooners, many Newfoundland vessels were wrecked.

ACTION BY CONGRESS

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minded them that he had a couple of "doubts" for them to remember. He admonished them not to allow any sectionalism to enter into their efforts for waterway improvements and cautioned them against abusing the rivers and harbors committee.

Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, suggested to the delegates the wisdom of providing in anything they should do that the local communities to be benefitted by waterway improvements should furnish suitable terminals.

Indorsement of Pinchot.

Indorsement of Gifford Pinchot, chief forester, and a plea for appropriations that will permit drainage of swamp lands caused a stir in the last big open meeting of the national rivers and harbors congress tonight.

The women's auxiliary of the congress, the aim of which is to beautify the banks of navigable streams and canals, adopted resolutions asking Congress to hold up the hands of Mr Pinchot in his forestation policies Major J. A Dapray, retired, secretary of the National Drainage association, occupied most of his time in recounting the need for appropriations for the drainage of swamps. The other speakers dwelt upon the need for adequate water transportation

Mrs Amelia A. Tomkies, president of the Woman's auxiliary, was one of the speakers at the night session She made no reference to the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy but she announced that the auxiliary had decided Mr Pinchot should be upheld by Congress in his work. Her venture on thin political ice was received with coolness.

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ANTISALOON LEAGUE ELECTS OFFICERS

CHICAGO Dec 9—The Antisaloon League of America at its convention today elected the following officers President, Bishop Luther B Wilson, Philadelphia; secretary, Rev. S. E. Nicholas Pennsylvania; treasurer Foster Copeland, Ohio, general superintendent Rev P A Baker

The convention declared for interstate shipment legislation that will protect the cities in the enforcement of their police laws

BRET HARTE'S DAUGHTER SUES FOR DIVORCE

NEW YORK, Dec 9—Bret Harte's daughter Jessamie is suing her husband Henry L. Steele, a Colorado mine owner for divorce. When her case was called in Yonkers N Y today she told the court that her husband deserted her in Portland, Me and that she would have starved if it had not been for the generosity of an actress who gave her a benefit Jessamie Harte was married eight years ago in Denver, when she was less than 18 years old, and lived happily with her husband, she says, for five years.

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Women's semi-fitted full 50 inches long, brown and black French coney coats, with large shawl collars and Skinner's or imported brocaded satin linings; regularly $50.00 each. Friday $39.75

Fur Scarfs

62-inch, brown and black French coney scarfs lined with brocaded and Skinner's satin; regular $3.98; Friday.....$2.98

Voile Skirts

Women's and misses' $5.95 black voile skirts with deep yoke, paneled front and back and kilted flounce. Friday.....$3.98

Women's Sweaters

Women's fancy woven, double breasted $2.50 all wool sweaters in white and oxford grey colors, pockets and shawl collars.
Friday only.....$1.98

Childs' Sweaters

Children's $1.50 fancy woven, single breasted all wool sweaters in plain white and combinations of red and tan with white, have pockets. Friday.....$1.19

Coat Collars

Women's Plauen lace coat and waist collars in all widths and a good variety of patterns, regularly $1.00 each. Friday.....79c

Draperies

Delicate colors in Oriental, floral and Japanese patterns; regularly 75c the yard.
Friday only.....62c

Wool Blankets

66x80-inch wool blankets, regularly sold at $3.75 tan with blue or pink borders; a most excellent blanket for service.
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Boys' Shoes

Choice of two styles of boys' school shoes made from selected box calf or satin calf leather and supplied with double weight rock oak soles—regularly $2.25 the pair
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Boys lined "Cowboy" gauntlet gloves made of first quality black or tan leathers beautifully stitched, braided and decorated with fringe, stars and other designs, good deep cuffs—an excellent $1.00 value we regularly sell at 75c the pair Friday only. 55c

Holiday Suspenders

Men's handsome, fancy worked, holiday suspenders, with neat flat leather ends put up in individual gift boxes—made to sell all the time at 50c the pair.
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Made of black grained leather—new styles with flap-over fastening, gilt and gun metal trimmings, moire lining and handles that can't be pulled out—regularly $1.98 each.
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Women's Shoes

Three styles of women's blucher, storm calf shoes with heavy double weight McKay soles and low school or medium Cuban heels, that regularly sell at $2.50 the pair. Friday.....$1.95

Women's Umbrellas

Women's 26-inch $2.25 gloria silk umbrellas with natural wood and silver or gold tipped and trimmed wood handles.
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Back Combs

Large and medium size shell back combs in plain but strictly new and novel designs, regularly $1.00 each. Friday.....79c

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Dainty quadruple mounted calendars, in a variety of colors and pretty subjects, that would bring 25c each in most stores, specially priced by us at 10c each
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Women's $1.19 black cotton taffeta petticoats dust ruffle and deep flounce with clusters of pin tucks and shirring.
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Pure hog bristles set in the finest quality rubber cushion one-piece backs, regularly $1.12 each
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Face Cream

A 50c bottle of Hind's Honey and Almond Cream
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Laundry Bags

French Lina laundry bags faced at the top with a high grade satine flowers and leaves are appliqued and embroidered on one side regularly 50c each
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Pillow Tops

22-inch burlap pillow tops with fancy stamped designs, regularly 25c each. Friday 19c

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THREATEN TO RENEW BROWNSVILLE DEBATE

New Evidence Found by Military Court Incenses Southerners Against Negro Troops.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Conclusive evidence is said to have been secured by the military court of inquiry in the "shooting up" of Brownsville, Texas, that members of the Twenty-fifth infantry, colored, who were within the fort, fired on the town at the time their companions were racing through the street shooting right and left.

None of the members of the court of inquiry would discuss the matter, but it is intimated that a demand for the abolition of the negro troops, which are provided for by law, will be made by the southern delegations in Congress Thus the bitter debate that marked the final days of the Roosevelt administration threatens to be renewed

The evidence discovered by the officers who compose the court is said to be susceptible of complete proof Certain members, it is reported, made personal examination of buildings across the road from the fort in Brownsville. They discovered bullet holes in the sides of the three houses Continuing their investigation they discovered the bullets which were of the regulation army design Following back the line of fire as shown by the track of the bullet, the marksmen could have been nowhere else than within the barracks

The congressional defenders of the negro infantry men maintained that the only firing in the town was done by men of the Twenty-fifth who had broken parole and that former President Roosevelt in discharging two companies without individual military trials had worked a severe injustice to both the companies and the regiment

It is understood that the court which is now here and has practically concluded its examination of the evidence it has secured will permit such discharged members of the regiment as care to do so, to appear before it and testify The hearings will be held here

SAYS HE SHOT IN SELF-DEFENSE

LOVELAND, Colo Dec 9—Dale Wright aged 23, carpenter for the Colorado and Southern railroad, who was shot four times yesterday afternoon at the local depot by Frank Dill baggagemaster, died today Dill claims he shot in self-defense.

NOBEL PRIZES AWARDED

Marconi One of Those Rewarded for Benefits Conferred Upon Mankind.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—This year's Nobel prizes of $40,000 each will be distributed as follows:

For physics, divided between M. Marconi and Prof. Ferdinand Braun of Strasburg; for chemistry, Prof. Wilhelm Ostwald of Leipsic, for physiology or medicine, Prof. Theodore Kocher of Berne, for literature, Selma Lagerlof, the Swedish authoress.

The Nobel prizes are awarded annually to those persons who are considered to have conferred the greatest benefit on mankind during the preceding year. The recipient of the peace prize is not yet made known.

The source of the prizes, the Nobel foundation, was provided by the will of Dr. Alfred Bernhard Nobel, the Swedish engineer and chemist, who died in 1896

RYAN PLEADS GUILTY.

LOS ANGELES, Dec 9—The trial of Albert Ryan, formerly an organizer for the Western Federation of Miners, who killed two men and wounded a third in a local hotel on the night of July 15 last, came to an abrupt ending in the superior court today, when he pleaded guilty to murder in the first degree Judge Davis will sentence the prisoner to hanging or life imprisonment

TWO KILLED; TWO WOUNDED

OAKLAND, Cal., Dec 9—As a result of two domestic tragedies tonight Dr Eugene Woods a physician and Fred Schenk are dead, and Gabriel Jacobs and Mrs J A Jones are dying from bullet wounds Dr Woods was shot by Gabriel Jacobs, husband of the woman named by the doctor's wife in her suit for divorce filed a few days ago Jacobs then sent a bullet into his own head.

At his rooming house Fred Schenk shot Mrs J A Jones and then shot himself He seemed to be under the impression that Mrs Jones was responsible for his wife leaving him

WILL SHOW PICTURES OF ITO'S ASSASSINATION

Every Detail of Tragedy Caught Upon Film by a Russian Photographer.

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 9—A moving picture of the assassination of Prince Ito at Harbin is to be used in the trial of the Korean assassin, according to advices brought by the steamer Kaga Maru today. A Russian photographer had prepared to make moving pictures of the meeting of Prince Ito and Minister Kokovostoff and caught the assassination scene upon his film

Japanese officials obtained a film 500 feet long showing every detail of the tragedy and this will be exhibited in court at the trial

Chinese newspapers fear that the death of Prince Ito will result in a change of policy by Japan toward China, owing to the military party being brought into power with the passing of Ito. The Pekin Times says that while Ito refrained from making coups to boost his personal ambitions, his successors are likely to be aggressive and China may suffer in consequence.

GAS SHORTAGE CAUSES SUFFERING

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec 9—Today was the third day of a distressing shortage of gas here Warmer weather now is the only hope of relief At Hutchinson suffered severely today from gas shortage and some of the schools are closed

At Hutchinson the lighting plant is shut down street cars are stalled for want of power and the schools are closed indefinitely Temperature for the last four days has ranged from 4 degrees above to 15 below zero

LEAVES $500,000 FOR YALE UNIVERSITY

NEW HAVEN Conn Dec 9—By the will of the late Charles H Farnam Jr., filed here today an estate estimated at about half a million dollars is left to Yale university to be used for buildings for the Sheffield scientific school

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POWERS FOUND GUILTY.

DENVER, Dec. 9—The jury in the [illegible] of [illegible] L. Powers, accused of swindling J. C. Bowman by means of an alleged fake race at Council Bluffs, Iowa, this afternoon returned a verdict of guilty. Powers, who is a Denver University graduate, is alleged to be a member of the Maybray group of swindlers.

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R. B. MURRAY RESIGNS

Gives Up Position of Office Secretary of the Colorado Springs Y. M. C. A.

Robert B. Murray, who for the last four months has been office secretary of the Colorado Springs Young Men's Christian association, tendered his resignation yesterday. His successor will be chosen shortly. Mr. Murray, however, has no intention of giving up the work of the association. Several tempting offers have been made to him recently, one of which he expects to accept at an early date. He came to this city from Lincoln, Neb., where he attended the Nebraska State university, and has been taking his elementary training here, in the work to which he expects to devote his life.

TO SPEAK IN INTERESTS OF POOR CONSUMPTIVES

Mrs. Anna Myers, wife of Rabbi Isadore Myers of Los Angeles, representing the Jewish Consumptives Relief society, will speak Sunday evening in K. P. hall, this city, to all interested in the movement which she represents. Mrs. Myers will speak on the work of the relief society, and will tell some interesting experiences of her travels and work.

Mrs. Myers is the district representative of the Jewish Consumptives Relief society, and represents 10 states in the work. She is president and founder of the Jewish Woman's Relief society. She will be here until the middle of next week, and will address several meetings during her stay.

AUTHORIZE MERGER

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Alamo Coal company, held yesterday noon in the offices of the company in The Gazette building, the consolidation of the Alamo company with the Coahuila Coal company was authorized. The properties of the two companies, which are located in Mexico, will be made into one organization. When the consolidation will be made, and how much property is involved in the deal, was not made public. The companies when merged, will be operated under the laws of the state of Colorado. Most of the officers and stockholders of the two coal companies have their residences in New York city or the City of Mexico.

Societies and Clubs

The Civic club meets this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at the Unitarian church. Miss Evans of Denver will address the meeting on "The Civic Center Movement in Denver." All interested are invited to attend.

A social will be given this evening by the Sunday school of the Baptist church to the older members, and this afternoon for the primary and intermediate departments. Musical and elocutionary programs have been arranged for both socials.

The Woman's Missionary society of the First United Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. McAllister, 220 Cheyenne avenue.

Section One of the Ladies union of the First Christian church will meet this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. G. B. Stewart, 1727 North Nevada avenue.

The Ladies' Catholic Benevolent association has elected the following officers for the coming year: Mrs. Charles Blood, president; Mrs. Seafor, vice president; Mrs. F. Fay, second vice president; Mrs. Annie Alton, treasurer, and Mrs. Nellie McCracken, recorder.

Credito Homestead No. 99, of the Homesteaders will elect officers next Monday evening. Members are asked to be present.

The Woman's society of the First Presbyterian church meets this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in the chapel. The meeting will be addressed by Dr. Howard Agnew Johnston on "Korea." Tea will be served after the meeting. The Northern district, of which Mrs. Fyffe is president, will meet and discuss methods of work. A special program of music and readings has been prepared.

The Golden Sunshine society of Ivywild meets this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank [illegible], 107 East Second street.

Section Four of the First Christian church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Dick, 714 South Nevada avenue. Officers will be elected, and all members are urged to be present.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's auxiliary of the First Baptist church will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church parlors. The program, "The New Migration," will be under Mrs. J. H. Franklin's direction.

El Paso lodge No. 13, A. F. and A. M., meet this evening at 7.30 o'clock for the election of officers for the coming year. Members are asked to be present.

Public watering troughs for horses were condemned as disseminators of [illegible] by the [illegible] veterin[illegible] of Missouri.

HISTORICAL FIGHTS OVER SPEAKERSHIP

ELECTION USUALLY DECIDED IN CAUCUS.

But Bitter Contests Have Been Waged in House When no Single Party Held Control.

THE AMERICAN CONGRESS
XVIII. Great Speakership Fights
By Frederic J. Haskin.

When no one political party controls a majority of the votes in the House of Representatives the matter of electing a speaker becomes a vital question of national moment. Of course no such condition is possible when there are but two parties, as is usually the case, both claiming and receiving the loyal support of every subscriber to their respective political creeds. In such cases the question of who will be speaker is decided in the caucus of the majority party, and the minority caucus selects its leader and offers him for the empty honor of the minority candidate for the speakership. Every speaker since the beginning of the Civil war has been named in caucus, and there has been no spectacular fight for the chair in the House itself. The party caucuses have been the scenes of some pitched battles, and they often have been preceded by a season of wirepulling, patronage-promising and political chicanery. Usually, however, the majority has chosen the "logical" candidate for speaker, although notable exceptions are the preference given in 1891 to Charles F. Crisp over Roger Q. Mills, and in 1899 to David B. Henderson over Joseph G. Cannon. Mr. Cannon has been four times elected speaker, equaling the highest record for successive elections to that office, held by Andrew Stevenson of Virginia. At each of these four elections Mr. Cannon has been the "logical" choice of the majority of the majority party.

But when there are three parties in the House, or when any party can not control its own members and disintegrates, and when this derangement of biparty lines goes to the extent that no one faction has an absolute majority, then the House itself must select its speaker. For the first time in many years there is a prospect of such a situation in the House. The "Insurgent" or anti-Cannon Republicans and the Fitzgerald faction of the Democrats, hold the balance of power between the two parties in this Congress. The regular Democrats must depend for every atom of hope upon the "Insurgent" Republicans, the Cannon or regular Republicans must depend for their control of the House upon the continued support of the twenty-three Democrats who follow the leadership of Representative Fitzgerald. Representatives for the Sixty-Second Congress will be chosen at the polls next fall, and it is within the realm of probability that the next House will have neither a straight Republican nor a regular Democratic majority. In that event, the successor to Speaker Cannon will be chosen in an open fight in the House.

Wrangled for Three Weeks.

The Thirty-first Congress met on December 3, 1849, the slavery question had begun to destroy party lines by forming geographical groups. The Whigs were in the majority, but the party discipline was lax, the southerners being defiant and the northerners not inclined to yield their views even for the sake of organizing the House. Robert C. Winthrop of Massachuesetts, speaker in the preceding Congress, was the regular Whig nominee. Howell Cobb of Georgia was the Democratic candidate. Thirteen "Free Soil" Whigs held the balance of power. Under the leadership of Joshua Giddings eight of these refused to support Winthrop because he had ignored the antislavery sentiment in appointing the committees of the Thirtieth Congress. They demanded from him a pledge that he would constitute the committees on judiciary, territories and the District of Columbia to suit them. Winthrop declined. Another faction of "insurgents" was led by Alexander H. Stephens and Robert Toombs of Georgia, seeking to prevent the alignment of the Whig and antislavery forces. On the thirty-sixth ballot Winthrop declined to permit the further use of his name. The Democrats, believing Cobb could not be elected, formed a coalition with the Free Soilers to elect William J. Brown of Indiana, and on the fortieth ballot Brown lacked but two votes of election. But when it was exposed that Brown had bartered the control of important committees for the Free Soil support, the Democrats left him and pandemonium reigned. The House was the scene of the wildest disorder and there was fear of blood shed. After three weeks of wrangling the House adopted a resolution providing for a plurality selection and on the sixty-third ballot Howell Cobb was elected.

In Deadlock Two Months.

In the next two Congresses the Democrats had everything their own way, but when the Thirty-fourth Congress met in December, 1885, the irrepressible conflict had begun. The Whig party was in extremis, the Democrats were torn to pieces and there was an almost complete obliteration of party lines. There were northern Whigs and northern Democrats, southern Democrats and southern Whigs, Free Soilers, Know-Nothings and a few Republicans—the first of that mighty organization which has had practically entire control of the republic for the past 50 years. The anti-Nebraska men composed of Free Soilers, Republicans, Know-Nothings and antiadministration Democrats had a safe plurality over the administration Democrats, but a third section, made up of Whigs and southern Know-Nothings, held the balance of power. On the first ballot five candidates appeared: William A. Richardson of Illinois, Democrat 74 votes; Lewis D. Campbell of Ohio, anti-Nebraska 53; Humphrey Marshall of Kentucky, Democrat and Know-Nothing 30; Nathaniel P. Banks of Massachusetts, anti-Nebraska, 21; Henry Fuller of Pennsylvania, National Know-Nothing 17, and 29 scattering votes. The "immortal seventy-four" of the administration minority was loyal to Richardson, but the majority was unable to agree upon a candidate. For two months the House was deadlocked. Men slept in the chamber, the sectional strife began to show its ugly features and the whole country was in an uproar. Finally, the Democrats, in the belief that the southern Whigs and Americans would rally to their support of Aiken of South Carolina, passed a resolution providing for a plurality election. The slip occurred betwixt cup and lip on the 133rd ballot, Banks received 103 votes, Aiken 100, with 11 scattering. Precedent required that a plurality election be ratified by resolution. The clerk of the House, John W. Forney, feared that another vote, such as would have to be taken on the resolution, would defeat the question, so he resolved upon the heroic action of declaring Banks elected. Governor Aiken immediately acquiesced and escorted Mr. Banks to the chair. Thus ended the two-months struggle. Its chief result was not the election of Banks, but the actual organization of the Republican party.

Bitter Contest Waged.

In the next Congress the Democrats again had a clear majority and elected James L. Orr speaker without difficulty by a vote of 128 to 84 cast for Galusha A. Grow, Republican. But it was but a temporary truce, and when the Thirty-sixth Congress met on December 5, 1859, the clouds of the great storm of Civil war were hanging low. For the first time a new Congress met in the Hall of the House of Representatives now in use. The membership was composed of 109 Republicans, 88 administration Democrats, 23 southern Americans and four northern Americans. No party had a majority. The Republicans did not agree upon a candidate at first, and on the initial ballot the votes were divided among 16 candidates.

Grow and John Sherman were the leading Republican candidates, but Grow withdrew after the first ballot and the Republicans rallied to the support of Sherman. Then came the reading in the House of the indorsement of the book by Hinton Rowan Helper, "The Impending Crisis of the South—How to Meet It." Both Sherman's and Grow's names were signed to the document. Sherman explained that his was placed there by proxy, but his explanation could not win him the necessary number of votes from the American contingent to bring about his election. The contest was the most bitter ever waged. Members of Congress were armed with pistols and bowie knives and everybody feared that any moment might see the new hall disgraced by a pitched battle. Only with the greatest difficulty was even the semblance of peace maintained.

Davis Deserted His Party.

Violent threats were made in almost every speech and all hope of a compromise and a plurality election was destroyed by a combination which agreed to prevent such a change in the rules. Finally the Republicans brought forward William Pennington, a former governor of New Jersey, who had just been elected to the House and who had no record to make him enemies. He gained a few votes and Briggs of New York promised that when one vote would [illegible] his election he would [cast] it. On the forty-third ballot on January 31, Henry Winter Davis, a southern American from Maryland, cast his vote for Pennington. The clerk called Davis' name three times and he did not reply. He was walking to and fro at the back of the chamber with his hands behind him. After the roll was completed he asked the clerk to call his name and he voted for Pennington. That gave the New Jersey man 116 votes, only one less than a majority. On the next day, February 1, 1860, Briggs' vote elected Pennington by one majority. But it was Henry Winter Davis who made history by deserting his political companions and making the election of a speaker possible. Despite the handicap of ignorance of parliamentary forms, Speaker Pennington was an impartial presiding officer. He was in the speaker's chair at the time of the secession of the southern states at the most critical period of the national history, yet he was the last of the speakers of the House of Representatives who refused to use the power of his office for either personal or political purposes.

Since the election of Pennington there has been no contest for speaker in the House, the party candidate of the majority having been elected on the first ballot at the beginning of every Congress from the Thirty-seventh to the sixty-first. If the Sixty-second shall witness the continuation of the factions now quarreling at Washington there may be something new to tell about electing speakers.

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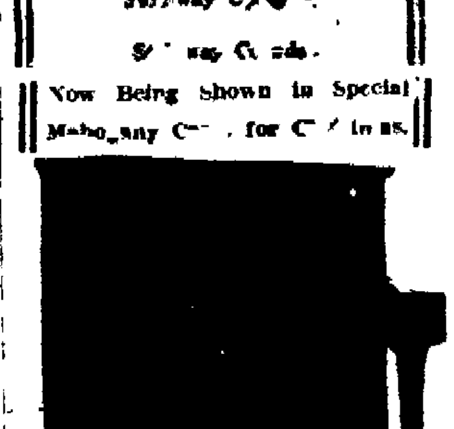

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Personal Mention

Miss [illegible] Ella Prior attended the Sembrich concert in Denver on Tuesday.

John A. Murphy of Rolette, N. M., has arrived in the city for a visit for the winter. He will reside at 1706 North Tejon street.

Mrs. N. L. Thomas and son, formerly of this city, now living in Mexico City, are visiting Dr. D. I. Christopher and family at 418 North Nevada avenue.

W. H. Wilson of Cripple Creek and J. E. Copeland of Victor, mining men well-known here, arrived in Colorado Springs last night. They are staying at the Antlers hotel.

O. B. Willcox of Denver, formerly a prominent attorney in this city, arrived here last night and registered at the Antlers hotel. He is in Colorado Springs on routine business, and will return to Denver tonight.

Dr. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION FOR WEAK WOMEN.

ONE MINER KILLED; ANOTHER INJURED

TRINIDAD, Dec. 9.—Vincenzo Vac[illegible] killed today at the Morely mine of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company by falling beneath a mine car.

Arthur Sobrill, a miner, had his back broken by a fall of rock in the Prim[illegible] mine today. He is not expected to recover.

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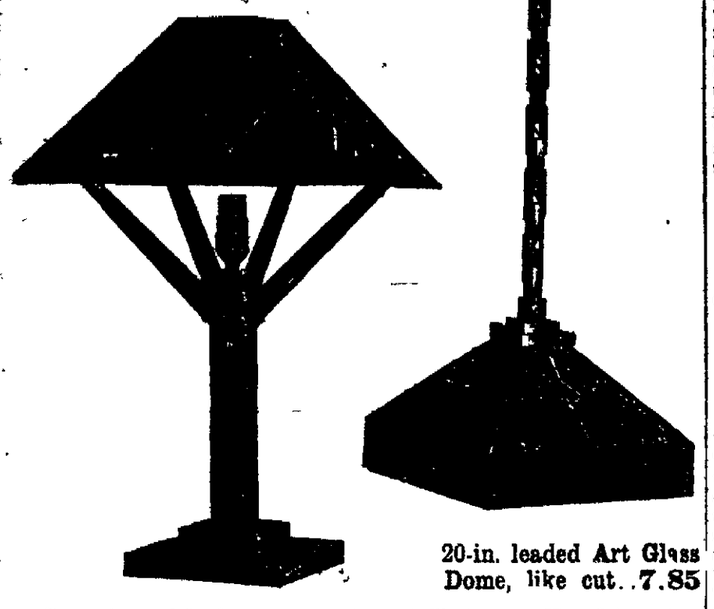

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The fact that letters and packages sealed with the Red Cross stamp are not accepted by the posts of several countries, including Great Britain, and that many senders of Christmas presents are omitting to write their names and addresses on the wrappers, is causing a great deal of trouble at the postoffice.

In case letters or packages carrying the Red Cross stamp are mailed to countries where they will not be received, and the sender's address is given, they will be returned; but if the address is not given they will be forwarded to the dead letter office in Washington. The countries where the Red Cross stamp is prohibited are, besides Great Britain, Orange River Colony and Rhodesia of the South Transvaal. Red Cross stamps may be placed only on the backs of all letters mailed to Germany.

LOCAL INTEREST IN A DENVER WEDDING

News reached Colorado Springs yesterday of the marriage in Denver of Count Francis Emmerich Gyory and Miss Rose Solis, daughter of Ramon Solis, a wealthy cigar manufacturer. The marriage is of interest here from the fact that the count was well known in this city, having a year ago been engaged to Miss Iva Maud Eaves, formerly of Colorado Springs. Miss Eaves is the daughter of Alfred Eaves, a retired wholesale jeweler, who now lives in Denver.

Count Gyory, 30 years of age, is the third son of Count Steffen Gyory, whose estates are located near Budapest. He is employed by his father-in-law.

TRUSTEES DEAF AND BLIND SCHOOL HOLD MEETING

The regular December meeting of the trustees of the Colorado State School for the Deaf and Blind was held yesterday at the school. Nothing beyond routine business was transacted, as the board is waiting for the second half of its last appropriation, which so far has failed to materialize, before attempting further improvements. Accompanied by Superintendent W. K. Argo, the trustees made an inspection of the premises before convening. The school is in good condition.

INVITATIONS OUT

Chamber of Commerce Issues Attractive Program and Notice of Annual Meeting.

Secretary A. W. Henderson of the Chamber of Commerce has sent out invitations to the annual meeting and banquet to be held next Tuesday night, to all members of the organization. They bear the full program of speakers, and are gotten up in a most attractive manner. Covers will be laid for 200 guests, and the charge will be $1.25 a plate. Members of the Chamber of Commerce will be allowed to invite guests to both the banquet and meeting, and it is urged that all who desire to attend notify Mr. Henderson not later than next Monday.

FRESHIES BEAT SOPHS

First Year Men Defeat Their Seniors in Exciting Fight Near Perkins Hall.

The freshmen and sophomores of Colorado College, for the second time this year, fought for an hour in front of Perkins hall yesterday noon, for the freshman banner, a green and yellow flag. The sophomores were forced to acknowledge that they were beaten for the first time this year.

The trouble started yesterday morning when the freshman flag was discovered on the top of the pole in the center of the campus. The sophomores held a council and chose "Morley" Morrison to climb the high pole and pull the flag down. This was done, and the freshmen were forced to purchase another flag, which they placed over Perkins hall. After chapel the sophomores again saw the colors, and Gregg, a daring upper classman, climbed on the roof, and with the assistance of his colleagues, succeeded in keeping the flag for some time. The freshmen rallied and soon gained on the upper classmen.

The upper class commission, in order to settle the affair, counted the hands on the flag. The freshmen had 26 to the sophomore's 24, giving the former the first victory of the year.

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TO STUDY TREES

Government Establishes Forestry Station on the South Slope of Pikes Peak

In order to determine just what trees are best suited to the reforestation of the Rocky mountains, a government forestry station has been established on the south slope of Pikes Peak, on government land near Minnehaha falls. Raphael Zon, chief of the division of silvics in the government forestry service, passed through Colorado Springs yesterday on his way to Denver, after having arranged the station. He said that a species of lodge pole pine has been brought from Wyoming, which, if it can be successfully raised here, will greatly increase the wealth of Colorado.

"THE GIRL QUESTION"

Company in the Adams-Hough-Howard Musical Comedy Mediocre. Small Audience.

"The Girl Question," one of the Adams-Hough-Howard musical comedies, was seen for the second time in this city at the Opera House last evening by a small number of spectators. Adams, Hough and Howard are responsible for most of the Chicago musical comedy successes, including "The Time, the Place and the Girl" and "The Stubborn Cinderella." "The Girl Question" is not the best thing these young men have turned out, but when presented by a first-class company of clever players, it makes a pleasant evening's entertainment. "The Girl Question" has won whatever popularity it enjoys because of some good specialties and original chorus numbers.

The company which presented this attraction at the Opera House last night was only fair. As this is its second season on the road, the production has deteriorated accordingly. John L. Kearney, who did some execellent work in this city a few seasons ago in the title role of "The Mayor of Tokio," was seen last evening in the leading male role. Kearney "got away" with the part last night, and that was about all. Dorothy Maynard, in one of the leading feminine parts, was passable, as was Helen McGowan as the waitress. Anna Hoffman was the best woman in the cast, and played her part well. One of the best roles in the comedy, that of the German baron, was lost on the man who essayed the character. The chorus was in keeping with the standard maintained by the principals.

GLEE CLUBS UNITE

College Organizations Will Form Chorus for Special Music for Vesper Service.

In connection with the vesper service at Bemis hall, next Sunday evening, when President W. S. Slocum of Colorado College will speak on "The Message of the Incarnation," the two glee clubs of the college will unite and sing Christmas hymns. Several numbers will also be given by the string quartet, which accompanies the College Glee club on its annual trip.

The Young Women's Glee club, which was formed only a few weeks ago, is under the direction of Mrs. E. E. Taltaferro. The two clubs will, in the near future, unite to form a college chorus, which will lead the singing in all religious services.

GAZETTE WAS CORRECT

Recent Statement of Doyle-Burns Settlement Is Supported in Latter's Office.

It was announced from James F. Burns' office in this city yesterday that the story appearing in The Gazette several weeks ago, setting forth the settlement of the famous Doyle-Burns suit at $55,000 was correct. The suit was for the recovery of several hundred thousand dollars, said to be due Doyle from Burns' interest in the Portland mine in Cripple Creek. A report was published yesterday afternoon that the settlement was for $75,000, but this is shown to be incorrect by the above announcement.

EXIT CIGAR CLIPPERS

Health Officer Gillett Orders Their Removal as Another Step in Health Fight.

Cigar clippers are to be barred by the health department from all cigar stores in Colorado Springs. Health Officer O. R. Gillett yesterday issued orders to all tobacco dealers in the city to do away with cigar clippers in their establishments. The majority of smokers place their cigars in their mouths before cutting off the end, and in this way germs are carried from mouth to mouth by means of the clipper.

MUCH ADO ABOUT A FIELD OF CORN

Troubles of the Williamites are keeping the officials of the justice courts busy nowadays. Justice O. R. Dunnington was occupied all day yesterday hearing the suit of Henry Mohler, one of the Williamite leaders, against T. B. Schooler for $300. A tract of land near this city was leased by the Williamites to Schooler, under condition that he buy 58 head of cattle. He claims that he was to have the ranch and a field of corn. Mohler contends that one-third of the crop was to go to the Williamites. Justice Dunnington took the case under advisement.

Schooler recently had Mohler arrested on a charge of stealing two loads of corn. After thrashing out the case in the justice court, Schooler filed a direct information in the district court. Evidently the wheels of justice moved too slowly in the higher court, so Mohler and Schooler are keeping in fighting trim by airing their troubles in the justice courts.

BADGER CLUB MEETS

Old Society Will Be Permanently Reorganized at Next Session, December 30.

The Badger club, composed of former residents of Wisconsin now residing in this city, met last night in room 15 of the Mint building, and took preliminary steps looking to the reorganization of the club. While the organization has a membership of nearly 100, it has not been meeting or doing active work for about five years, and the gathering last night was for the purpose of bringing it back to life again. Officers will be elected at the next meeting, to be held December 30 at the "Wisconsin House," 510 East Pikes Peak avenue, the home of C. C. Deits. J. L. Schaeffer, presided as chairman last night.

A feature of the next meeting will be an oyster supper. A committee composed of C. C. Deits, the Rev. W. Marshal and W. A. Boyce was appointed to arrange for the supper and to prepare a literary program.

PHONE FROM SUMMIT?

Wireless Station May Soon Be Installed on Top of Pikes Peak.

That a wireless telephone station is to be established on the summit of Pikes Peak, whence messages may be sent to Colorado Springs, Denver and even to the Pacific coast, is the declaration of the local representatives of the Collins company, of Newark, N. J., whose system was demonstrated here last week. It has been announced that this service will be established at an early date, and that it will be in full working order by the beginning of the next tourist season.

Announcement has also been made that A. Frederick Collins, inventor of the instruments used, is soon to pay a visit to this city during which he will make a public demonstration of wireless telephony.

RICE DENIES REPORT

Stratton Trustee Says Denver Property Has Not Been Leased for Long Term.

A strong denial of a report from Denver that real estate at the corner of Seventeenth and Welton streets in that city, belonging to the Stratton estate, has been put under a 99-year lease, was made yesterday by Dr. David H. Rice of this city, one of the trustees of the Stratton estate.

"There is no foundation for such a report," said Dr. Rice, "and I cannot imagine how it originated. I am in a position to know, and I am certain the report is a mistake."

The Dyspepsia of Old Age

Strong Digestion and an Adequate Nutrition Invariably Mean a Long and Healthy Life.

There is a process known as metabolism going on constantly in the body, and by which the tissues are built up, and after having served their purpose in the physicial economy, are torn down and cast off.

So long as the due relation between waste and supply is maintained, nutrition, and the various functions of the body are continued. But after middle life and in old age there comes a time when waste exceeds supply, and when the various elements which constitute the different fluids, tissues and organs no longer hold their due proportion, and the principle of life itself becomes enfeebled, the body no longer having power to assimilate new material as it once did.

As old age creeps on, all the functions gradually fail, especially those of digestion, absorption and assimilation, and the system being deprived of its full quota of nutriment, slowly wears out. If the nutritive and digestive processes of old people could be maintained unimpaired, life could be prolonged almost indefinitely.

There are many old persons in whose stomachs the gastric function is almost entirely suspended. When this trouble occurs, the problem is, how to digest the food and get along without the natural stomach juices. There is but one way to overcome the effects of this condition, and that is to supply artificially to the stomach a powerful digestive substance to take the place of the juices which it fails to secrete naturally.

For this purpose, there is nothing superior to STUART'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS known to medical science, as they supply the deficiency and are such a reliable and thoroughly efficient substitute for the natural gastric juices, that if two or three are taken after each meal, the food will be digested in so complete a manner, that the natural digestive fluids will never be missed.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets should be used by all old and middle aged persons in order to prevent or cure the dyspepsia of old age. Through their use complete digestion of the food is assured, with a consequent increased nutrition of the body and a staving off of the sensibility and decreptitude of old age.

This remedy is, however, not only good for the indigestion incidental to advanced life, but is also applicable to the dyspepsia and stomach troubles of any age, from youth up.

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A very special offering in stylishly-tailored wool dress skirts in serge and hard finished worsteds. Come in the new border materials, soft toned stripe effects, newest pleated styles, a variety of colors, and every one fits perfectly. On sale Friday, $5.00.

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MUST FACE CHARGE

Constance to Be Arrested for Alleged Sale of Tobacco to Manitou Girls.

Charging with selling tobacco to minors, Stanley Constance, a Manitou poolroom proprietor, will be arrested today on a warrant sworn out yesterday in the county court by Probation Officer A. W. Moore. Officer Moore secured the information which led to the charges against Constance, from Manitou girls who had been smoking cigarettes made from tobacco which they are said to have purchased in Constance's place. Constance endeavored to settle the affair out of court, but Officer Moore decided that it should be aired in the county court, and ordered the poolroom keeper's arrest.

WEDS SISTER-IN-LAW; BOTH ARE OVER 50

A romance of some years' standing was brought to light yesterday, when a marriage license was issued to Albert A. Nostrum, an employe of the United States Reduction and Refining works at Colorado City, and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Sophia W. Nostrum. The groom is 56 years old, and the bride is 51. Both have lost their former helpmeets by death.

LEAGUE MEETS MONDAY

Anticigarette Forces to Elect Officers and Arrange for Annual Spelling Bee.

Letters were sent yesterday to the principals of all schools in the city by General Secretary C. B. Hall of the Young Men's Christian association, inviting them to attend a meeting of the El Paso County Anticigarette league next Monday night at the Y. M. C. A. building. The meeting has been called for 6 o'clock in the evening, and members will take dinner there. Officers to serve for the ensuing year will be elected, and arrangements made for the annual spelling bee which the organization is to give.

PROTECT SHRUBBERY—Chairman E. C. van Diest of the park commission yesterday announced that an extra man has been detailed in North Cheyenne canon to stop the depredations of Christmas decorators. People persist in cutting small trees and stripping kinnikinnick from the mountains to decorate their homes. Examples will be made of violators.

FAIRCHILD RESIGNS

Withdraws From Abstract Co. to Become Secretary Fountain Valley Organization.

H. S. Fairchild, secretary-treasurer of the El Paso Abstract and Title Guaranty company for many years, has resigned his position, effective January 1, to become secretary of the Fountain Valley Land and Irrigation company. Mr. Fairchild will be succeeded by his assistant, J. E. Treat. Mr. Treat is a son of Professor J. P. Treat, head of the Baptist college at Denver, who was formerly head of the schools in Manitou.

As announced in The Gazette over two months ago, the Fountain Valley Land and Irrigation company has placed $500,000 in bonds for the purpose of improving their lands, located a few miles south of this city. With the additional bond issue, the investment of the company is over $1,000,000.

FUNDS WANTED

Rev. R. E. Pierce Here in the Interests of Colorado Children's Home Society.

If there is a home in Colorado Springs that is incomplete for the want of a child, or a child that is unhappy for the lack of parents, the fault can be remedied by communicating with the Rev. R. E. Pierce of Denver, who is visiting Colorado Springs and is quartered at the Alamo hotel. Mr. Pierce is superintendent of the Colorado Children's Home society, whose purpose it is to supply children for adoption, and to find homes for dependent children.

It is claimed that this organization has placed more than 800 children in happy homes. The estimated cost of the work is $75 for each child, and for this purpose the society requires funds. Several Colorado Springs persons have become interested in the work, and it is probable that a number of donations will be made from Colorado Springs.

REVOLUTIONISTS RUIZ MAY BE EXTRADITED

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 9.—Inez Ruiz, Mexican revolutionist who was recently discharged here, for want of sufficient evidence to support a charge of inciting a revolution in Mexico, was rearrested today at the instance of Attorney General Wickersham, pending extradition. It is alleged Ruiz participated in the Garza revolution 12 years ago. At that time he was captured, but escaped into this country.

Little Lessons in Publicity No. 6

Every sales manager knows his weak spots. Daily Newspaper advertising in the poor sections will strengthen the proposition where help is needed. Newspapers can be selected to cover any desired class without waste or loss of time. Why swim in liniment when you stump your toe?

The publisher of this paper or any general advertising agent will suggest best papers for your individual case.

TO ADJOURN FOR WEEK

Real Estate Exchange Meeting Will Not Conflict With Chamber of Commerce.

W. E. Johnson, president of the Colorado Springs Real Estate exchange, announced yesterday that the regular December meeting of that organization, which falls upon next Tuesday, coincident with the annual banquet and meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, will be held at the Antlers hotel at 6:15 o'clock in the evening, just before the Chamber of Commerce dinner. No business, however, will be transacted, and adjournment will be taken for one week.

At this adjourned meeting arrangements will be made for the annual banquet of the organization, to be given some time in January.

MEN'S SUNDAY MEETING

The Rev. M. N. Smith, pastor of the First Methodist church, will speak on "Loyalty" at the men's meeting of the Young Men's Christian association in the assembly room of the Y. M. C. A. building at 3:30 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. There will also be a soprano solo by Mrs. Charles Logan and several selections by the association orchestra.

To pick out a gift for a woman in a department store is like hunting in a corral—mighty tame sport for a man.

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PIKES PEAK REGION WELL REPRESENTED

Colorado Springs and Manitou Proprietors Go to Rocky Mountain Hotel Men's Meeting.

Colorado Springs and Manitou are well represented at the conference of the Rocky Mountain Hotel Men's association, which opened in Denver yesterday, to continue until tomorrow evening. H. H. Stevens, proprietor of the Alta Vista, J. A. Himebaugh, proprietor of the Spaulding house, and George S. Elstun of the Alamo, left yesterday, while C. A. Poljen and E. E. Nichols, proprietors of the Hotel Navajo and Cliff house of Manitou, respectively, intend to go to Denver today. Mr. Nichols is to be one of the speakers of the convention.

Several matters of importance to hotel men will be considered during the conference, not the least of which is to be a concerted plan of protecting themselves against guests who fail to pay their bills.

BIG ADDITION PLANNED FOR THE MONTCALME

Manitou Sanitarium Will Have a Structure Costing $60,000—Details Announced Later.

The Montcalme sanitarium, situated on Capitol hill in Manitou, is to be enlarged and remodeled in the near future, according to plans announced yesterday by the Sisters of Mercy in charge of the sanitarium. The Rev. Father Ley and H. F. Gillis, a Manitou contractor, are in Denver making arrangements for the plans, and are submitting them to the mother superior at St. Luke's hospital there. The addition is to cost in the neighborhood of $60,000, and will be modern in every particular.

Due to the fire of November 4, 1907, the accommodations at the sanitarium have been inadequate, and the addition has been planned for several months. As soon as the Rev. Father Ley returns further details will be announced.

A 25-cent dinner will be served by the ladies of Mount Olive Baptist church from 5 to 8.30 p. m., tomorrow, (Saturday), at 312 South Tejon.

GARDEN OF THE GODS TO BE PROPERTY OF CITY CHRISTMAS DAY

At the Council meeting this morning an ordinance will be introduced transferring the Garden of the Gods from the Charles Perkins estate to the city of Colorado Springs. As the ordinance will not be effective until 15 days after its introduction, the gift will formally come to Colorado Springs at Christmas time. Although no formal ceremonies will mark the transfer, arrangements are being made for a public ceremony later, when representatives of the Perkins family will come here, and a handsome bronze memorial tablet will be placed in the park as a memorial to the donor.

The ordinance will be presented to the Council by Henry C. Hall, D. V. Donaldson and Henry LeB. Wills, trustees for the estate. According to the terms of the transfer, the property must forever be used as a public park. The county commissioners have agreed to vacate the road running through the Garden of the Gods, thus giving the city full control.

LOCAL TEACHERS TO TAKE LEADING PART

MANY ON PROGRAM STATE MEETING IN DENVER.

Addresses Scheduled by Superintendent Dietrich, Principal Scott, Professor Yeomans and Others.

Colorado Springs school teachers will take a prominent part in the thirty-fifth annual convention of the Colorado Teachers association, which opens in Denver, December 27, and will be in progress until the night of December 30. Many of the leading addresses are to be made by educators of this city, and three of their names appear on the program as presidents of various sections of the organization. The first copy of the program to arrive in the city was received yesterday by Superintendent of Schools John Dietrich.

Albert J. Yeomans, who is head teacher of manual training in the public schools of Colorado Springs, will speak December 28 on "Our Aims and Methods in Teaching Manual Training." Miss Ida McNair, first primary teacher of this city, will talk on "Kindergarten Methods in the First Primary," on the same day. Other Colorado Springs teachers scheduled to take part in the program that day are: Miss Bernice B. Bacharach, assistant kindergarten teacher, who will speak upon kindergarten work; J. W. Scott, principal of the Lowell school, whose subject will be "How to Get More Time for English," and Miss Marjore Cooper, head teacher in the domestic science department, who will speak on domestic science in connection with school work.

Local Participants.

Colorado Springs participants in the program for December 29 are: Superintendent John Dietrich, who will take for his subject, "Problems of the School Girl as Related to Domestic Science in the Home;" Principal J. W. Scott, who will take part in the superintendents' and principals' round table, and Miss Inez Johnson, superintendent of schools of El Paso county, on "Rural School Improvements, or Rights of the Country Child."

Educators of this city who will hold offices at the convention are: Miss Myra Moore, president of the kindergarten section; Dean Edward S. Parsons of Colorado College, president of the English section, and O. F. Dubach, teacher of history at the High School, who is president of the civic historical section.

Superintendent Dietrich is a member of the educational council, and his name appears on the legislative committee of that organization. W. P. Kinney, president of the board of education, has been elected a delegate to represent the board at the conference.

Indications are that the attendance at the convention from this city will be unusually large. Addresses will be made by four educators from outside of Colorado. They are: President John W. Cook of the Northern Illinois State Normal school, "Modern Tendencies in Education;" F. W. Howe of the department of agriculture, Washington, D. C., "How Agriculture May Be Taught in the Public Schools;" President John H. Finley of the College of the City of New York, and Prof. H. W. Caldwell of the University of Nebraska, "Socializing Tendencies of the Age."

The sessions will be held at the East Denver High school.

Beginning October 1, the Acacia hotel will be conducted on the American plan. Special rates to those desiring a winter home.

The Woman's auxiliary of the Mount Olive Baptist church will give a bazaar and rummage sale tomorrow (Saturday) at 312 South Tejon.

COLORADO SPRINGS PUTS ON HOLIDAY ATTIRE

Business Section Presents Attractive Appearance. Advance Guard Christmas Shoppers Is Out.

The Christmas decorations of store windows is in full progress. Many of the merchants of the city already have dressed their windows with displays of goods designed for holiday trade, and others are following their example, and getting ready just as quickly as they can. Tejon street presents a more attractive appearance this year than ever before. A notable feature is that while all sorts of Christmas presents are being placed temptingly before the eyes of passersby, there has still been found room for decorative trimmings, which go to give Colorado Springs its holiday costume.

The advance guard of shoppers has made its appearance, and indications are that the main column will be a long one.

Toys form a large percentage of the objects on display, and all sorts of novelties and useful articles in every line are to be obtained.

NOTICE TO WATER USERS

To the Users of Water in Colorado Springs and Colorado City, Colorado:

You are hereby notified that the rules of the water department prohibit flooding of yards or lawns for the purpose of making skating ponds; nor are you permitted to allow any faucet or hydrant to run during either the night or day to prevent freezing.

The public are requested to observe the above rules of the water department, as said rules will be strictly enforced against all violators.

H. F. AVERY, Mayor.

Manitou and Pueblo mineral waters delivered. Phone 582.

ONE DOLLAR PER MONTH
we press one suit every week. Hunter, 125 N. Tejon. Phone 1144.

Wilbur's High Art Gifts

For every member of the family. Imported novelties in brass, bronze, leather and glass. Immense stock of handkerchiefs in every price from 5c to $5.00. Belts, bags, purses, gloves, hosiery, veilings and other useful as well as pleasing presents. Dennison's boxes, stickers, tags and envelopes for "doing up" gifts.

Wilbur Dressed Dolls

Entirely in a class by themselves. Nothing like them anywhere else in the country. Don't delay the purchase of these. Buyers who wait are sometimes disappointed.

Cut Prices on Many Lines of Suits, Dresses and Coats as Previously Advertised.

TOYS

Dolls, Games and Picture Books at popular prices in our Pikes Peak Avenue store.

HIBBARD'S

Holly Wrapping Papers, Per Sheet, 5 Cents.

Holly Boxes, all sizes 5c, 10c, 15c.

Radical Mark-down Throughout Our Entire

Coat and Suit Section

Every Coat and Suit Re-Priced

IT IS BUT NATURAL that a successful Suit season leaves in its wake lines of the best values that have become depleted. Here a size, there the color range broken. By grouping various lines together we gather nearly all colors, and all styles are found—but, of course not all sizes in every model.

The season is too far advanced to "fill in" the missing sizes and colors, and the only course left to us is

RADICAL REDUCTION ON EVERY GARMENT

to effect a prompt and immediate clearance.

We quote three groups:

Group 1 -Suits for $12.50

HAVE BEEN $17.50 to $30.00—About two dozen in the lot. The new short jacket suit, plain kilt skirt, also short yoke with kilt flounce. Jackets are mostly front fastening with military collars. Others are three-quarters length coat, plain tailored semi-fitted effects, satin lined new kilt and pleated skirts. Colors, blue, black, a few greys and rose.

Group 2 Suits at $15.00

A splendid line of Suits in this series latest models, seven-eighths length coat in plain tailored semi and tight fitted effects, some in the new long revere three-button, side fastening in all the new weaves and a good selection of colors, satin and silk serge lining. The skirts are plain kilt, yokes with kilt flounce and gores cut away with pleats set in. Suits have sold for $25.00.

Group 3--- Suits $19 and $22.50

Splendid line of Suits in navy, green, black and gray in the new wide wale Serges and Diagonal weaves; also in novelty Suitings, plain Serges and Broadcloths; seven-eighths length coat in plain tailored effects; long reveres, three and four button effects, new plaited skirts. These Suits have sold up to $37.50.

Other Suits not mentioned above have $10.00 of more taken off their price, thereby enabling us to claim the best offerings in the city.

Three Splendid Coat Groups

Group 1
Tailored Long Coats $21
Chiffon Broadcloth, full satin lined, extra quality, colors, black and walnut; just a few left, were $30 and $35.

Group 2
Coats at $17.00
A large line in this lot; colors, navy, green and blacks, in chiffon Broadcloths, full satin lined also heavy Kerseys Military styles; both lined and unlined; prices were up to $27.50.

Group 3
Coats at $15.00
Extra good styles and values colors, black, navy, cedar green and covert, were up to $25.00, others at $5.95, $8.00, $10 and $12.
(Coats sold up to $15.00)

New Waists Beautiful Styles

A nice line of Seco Silk Waists, lined, made in tucks and buttons, assorted colors. Special value $2.50

TAFFETA SILK WAISTS.
Here is the best value in waists we have ever offered in all-over tucked taffeta waists, colors black and navy $5.00

MOIRE SILK WAISTS.
New Moire Waists, in black, gray and navy; very neatly tailored and button trimmed..........$3.95

Extraordinarily low prices for

Women's Trimmed Hats

Fifty women will rejoice in their acquisition—fifty handsomely trimmed hats each a new model, each suited for a different type each an individual style, is offered this week at....................$2.95

Not a hat sold under $5.00, many worth up to $10.00.

ALL FUR HATS REDUCED
We have some 25 Fur Hats, made of various fur pelts small, medium and large shapes. Hats that sold from $7.00 up to $18.00. Present prices are ranging from $4.95 up to $12.00.

Christmas Sale Now On!

An extraordinary variety of choice styles in Furniture and House Furnishings particularly selected for high-class

Christmas Gifts That Last!

We have added this week a line of 3-piece Parlor Suites at $19.50 to $43.50, and a large variety of Music Cabinets, Desks, Easy Chairs, Mission Lamps, Work Tables, Rattan Rockers, Davenports, Card Tables, Leather Rockers and Novelties at low prices that makes the stock this Christmas the largest and most complete we have ever offered. Store open Saturdays until 9 p. m.

The FRED S. TUCKER FURNITURE CO.
106-108 N. TEJON STREET, COLORADO SPRINGS.

Christmas For Your Boy

WAGONS

Iron body, steel gears, steel wheels...$1.00 to $2.25
Iron body, wood bolsters, large size $1.25 & $4.50
Wood body, extra strong, extra heavy wheels, ...$2.25 to $6.00
Cycle wagons....................$3.75
HAND CARS with rubber tires......$6.00 and $7.50
HAND CARS with rubber tires and ball bearings, $10
VELOCIPEDES ....$2.25 and $2.75
VELOCIPEDES with rubber tires.$5.25 to $10.00
WHEELBARROWS, steel body....$1.00 and $1.25
SLEDS, solid steel runners and frames, $1.50 to $3.50
SKATES, Barney & Berry.............75¢ to $3.00
CHESTS OF TOOLS Every tool is one of quality, good enough for older people..........$3.00 to $20.00
WORK BENCHES Suitable for a mechanic, and just the kind for a boy or a man................$13.00

These Goods Are Displayed in Our WEST WINDOW THIS WEEK

Make Your Selections While Stock Is Full

G. S. BARNES & SON

111 East Pikes Peak Avenue.

Our Holiday Line

Of China, Fancy Goods and Bric-a-Brac is now on display and comprises a large assortment of articles for Xmas gifts.

These goods are for sale or given with premium checks.

We also offer Tea and Coffee in fancy boxes for those wishing to make presents of these articles.

Dern Tea & Coffee Co.
29 South Tejon St.
Phone 875.

Robbinson Robbinson

Lounging Robes, Bath Robes, House Coats, all on display.

Robbins

Quick Service Through Want Ads

If you've a century or so to wait, and wish and watch—you needn't use Gazette Want Ads. But men in a hurry do. They get what they want, when they want it.

Big Reduction Sale

MAKING ROOM FOR SPRING GOODS.
Men's $4.00 Shoes now....................$2.85
Men's $3.50 Shoes now....................$2.45
Men's $3.00 Shoes now....................$2.15
Men's $2.50 Shoes now....................$1.85
Visit us before buying.

Electric Shoe Factory
20 East Huerfano Street.

"Better Coal for the Same Price"

We have built up our large business on the principle of giving the people a little more for their money than they can get elsewhere. We find it pays.

The Colorado Springs Fuel Co.
112 Pikes Peak Ave. Two Phones, Main 280.

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Hosiery as Holiday Tokens

Hosiery is one of the most popular and acceptable of gift articles, especially among relatives and close personal friends. Our Hosiery assortments make it easy to select what you want, no matter whether the amount you have set aside is much or little. A few gift suggestions:

Women's fine Maco stockings at **15¢** to.....**50¢**
Men's imported fancy half hose at **25¢** to.....**50¢**
Women's fine cashmere wool stockings at **50¢** and **75¢**
Women's plain silk lisle and fancy embroidered hose **50¢**
Women's pure thread silk stockings of excellent quality and workmanship, black and colors, pair, **1.00** to **5.00**
Men's imported silk half hose, in a wide variety of pleasing colors, pair, **$1.00** to.....**$2.00**

Style and Quality — Voshes — **At the Right Price**

TO EXEMPLIFY "RHYME" METHOD OF TEACHING

The "rhyme" method of teaching reading will be exemplified at a meeting of teachers of the first and second grades to be held in the High school corner at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Several addresses will be made on the subject.

An Italian journalist is said to have discovered the Bible which was used by the Emperor Napoleon during his exile on the Island of Elba

THE SALVATION ARMY NEEDS MORE MONEY

When the receipts from the red kettles of the Salvation Army were counted last night it was found that little more than $60 has been collected from this source to defray expenses of the Christmas dinners. As at least $400 will be needed, the Army men and lassies are preparing to put forth unusual efforts in the remaining days before December 25, to get the public to take more notice of their crying need for money. Thus far the kettles have averaged about $5 a day.

Wait for the Big Fire Sale
of the Entire Stock of the
PERKINS-SHERER CLOTHING CO.
To be closed out in a few days
At 10 and 12 E. Bijou St., Opposite Elks Club
Wait and Watch for Opening Date of Sale
A. SHAPIRO

MAY NOT REBUILD BUENA VISTA SCHOOL

Board to Consider Question Tonight—Christmas Vacation Begins Thursday Dec. 23.

It is posable that the Buena Vista school, corner of Sixteenth and Park streets, which was partially destroyed by fire last Monday night, may not be rebuilt The question is one over which members of the board of education are debating, and the matter probably will be brought up at a meeting of the board to be held at 7.30 o'clock tonight.

Insurance adjusters were at work at the school building all day yesterday, but by evening failed to come to a decision as to the loss sustained.

Since the remaining portion of the building will accommodate only about half of the pupils who attended, half-day sessions are temporarily being held. The advanced department of the school attends from 9 o'clock in the morning to 12:45 o'clock in the afternoon, and the pupils of the primary grades then take the rooms from 12.45 o'clock until 3.45 o'clock.

It has been definitely decided that the public schools of the city shall close for the Christmas vacation on the afternoon of Thursday, December 23, instead of on Friday, December 24, as has been the custom heretofore. This will enable teachers and pupils to go to Denver or other nearby place to spend Christmas with relatives or friends. Exercises will be held in all of the elementary schools on the afternoon of December 23, and at some of the schools quite elaborate programs are being prepared.

COUNTY TEACHERS TO HOLD MEETING TODAY

The annual meeting of the El Paso county school teachers convenes this afternoon at Calhan, and it is expected that nearly 100 instructors will be present. The programs for the two sessions today and tomorrow include discussions led by D. M. Balls, A. D. Boyd, Miss Eula Smith and C. F. Morrison; the Rev. Adna W. Moore, "Relation of the Home to the School," Miss Inez Johnson, "The Teacher's Work," Miss Elsie Reed, "Primary Work, With Recitations and Reading;" Miss Rowena Brown, "Primary Work;" H. B. Wright, president of the school board at Calhan, "What Should the School Board Do?" and Miss Bertha Senneff, "Arithmetic in the Rural School."

The sessions will be held in the new school building at Calhan, and Miss Inez Johnson of this city, superintendent of county schools, will be in charge of the round table.

TO BRING ACTION

Commissioner of Labor Will Proceed Against Certain Private Employment Agencies.

According to H. L. Bishop, superintendent of the local branch of the state employment bureau, E. V. Brake, state commissioner of labor, is about to bring action against some of the private employment agencies in the state. This is due, it is stated, to the alleged extortion of money by private concerns from persons applying to them for work. Certain private agencies not only harm the applicants for work, but greatly impede the work being done by the state employment agency, where positions are obtained for men and women, absolutely free, the state bearing the expense.

While more men than usual are out of employment in this city at the present time, it is believed the ranks of unemployed will be greatly decreased if a warm spell sets in and allows work to reopen, which has been shut down on account of cold weather.

BURNS THEATER MAY GIVE SHUBERT PLAYS

It is probably that the Shuberts will gain a place in Colorado Springs for their theatrical offerings, and while it is not certain that the deal has been definitely closed, it is understood their plays will be introduced at the Burns theater, soon to be erected on East Pikes Peak avenue. If this is done it will probably mean a theatrical war between the Shuberts and the Erlanger syndicate, whose plays are produced at the Opera House.

BUYS BIG STOCK

Hext Music Company Purchases Pianos, Etc., From Goerke Company for $17,000.

The large stock of pianos, sewing machines and phonographs of the Goerke Piano company, 20 East Kiowa street, has been sold to the Hext Music company, and will be removed at once to the latter company's salesrooms, 19 North Tejon street Seventeen thousand dollars is understood to be the consideration.

AGED COUPLE ARE IN A DESTITUTE STATE

Penniless her husband in bed as a result of a fall sustained several weeks ago an aged woman last Wednesday appealed to the Salvation Army for help She was given food, and her name was placed on the list of worthy poor who will receive a donation from the Salvation Army at Christmas She told the Salvation Army workers that she and her husband had paid off a debt of $150 only a few days before he was injured

The skeleton and part of the body of a mammoth recently found in the frozen sands of the river Sangar-Yurach is of special interest It is the only specimen yet found in which the trunk is preserved.

On Sale Friday
For your benefit and more to your advantage to buy them than it is for us to sell them at the reduced prices.

DELTA'S DEPARTMENT STORE

Sample Blankets
200 sample pairs of Cotton, Cotton and Wool and All-Wool Blankets in White, Gray and Plaids, on sale at 1/3 off regular price.

One Day Christmas Specials Priced

For Friday Only

Electric Lamps
Mission style with green shade and silk cord; regular price $4.50 and worth $5.00; Friday.....**$3.98**

Brush and Comb Set
Good quality bristles with white metal or mirror back; regular price $1.25; Friday.....**$1.00**

Table Linen
72-inch full bleached Irish Table Linen, every thread pure flax; regular price $1.00; Friday, at only, yard .....**75¢**

Fancy Silks
27-inch fancy striped satin finished Louisine Silks; regular price $1.00; Friday, only.....**69¢**

Silk Mulls
27-inch dotted and floral design silk mulls, suitable for scarfs and doll dresses; regular price 25c and 35c; Friday .....**19¢**

Dresser Scarfs
18 and 54-inch all-linen hemstitched and fancy embroidered Dresser Scarfs; regular price 65c; Friday **50¢**

Men's Ties
50 dozen men's silk Four-in-Hand Ties; regular price 65c; Friday, **50¢**

Way's Mufflers
The well-known knitted "Way" Muffler in all colors for ladies or men; one in pretty box, regular 50c; Friday only.....**39¢**

Post Card Albums
Large size Post Card Albums, with fancy cover; holds 400 cards; regular price $1.00; Friday only.....**75¢**

Jewel Boxes
Silver Jewel Boxes, lined with silk; 4 inches long, 3 inches high; satin finished; regular price $1.25; Friday **98¢**

Ladies' Handkerchiefs
Ladies' pure linen Handkerchiefs, ladies' cross bar lawn Initial Handkerchiefs, and many other styles, worth up to 10c; Friday only.....**5¢**
A pretty Holly Box free with a 50c purchase of above.

Fancy Ribbons
50 pieces all-silk, new floral design Ribbons, 4 to 5 inches wide; regular price 25c and 35c; Friday.....**19¢**

Child's Coat Set
Bearskin Coat, Muff, Leggins and Hood in all colors; Friday....**$1.50**

White Aprons
In plain and barred Lawns, trimmed with embroidery; regular price 65c; Friday .....**50¢**

Leather Bags
Leather Hand Purses and large Bags in the latest styles, black or colors; regular prices $1.25 and $1.35; Friday **$1.05**

Smoker's Set
Brass Smoker's Set; stands 30 inches high with ash tray, match holder and cigar holder; regular price 98c; Friday .....**75¢**

Needle Cases
All kinds of needles enough to last five years, in neat case; regular price 65c; Friday .....**50¢**

Pillow Tops
Colorado Columbine Pillow Tops and 6 skeins of embroidery silks; this outfit is really worth 50c; Friday only...**29¢**

Boxed Stationery
Put up in holly and fancy boxes fine quality Paper and Envelopes, Friday on sale as follows; 35c for **25¢**; 65c for **55¢**; 75c for **62¢**; $1.25 for **$1.00**

ODD FELLOWS TEMPLE TO START NEXT WEEK

Number of Changes in Plans, Plumbing Contract to Be Let Tomorrow.

Work on the new Odd Fellows temple, which is to be erected on the southwest corner of Bijou street and Nevada avenue, will be begun the middle of next week, according to T. J. Wright, the contractor in charge.

"It has been necessary to make a number of changes in the plans," said Mr. Wright yesterday, "and that has delayed the start, but we expect to be at work now in a few days"

The contract for the plumbing will probably be let by Pikes Peak lodge, No. 38, tomorrow.

The building is to be 50 feet on Bijou street by 180 feet on Nevada avenue, and two stories in height. The lower floor will comprise nine storerooms, while the second floor will be given over to the lodge rooms It has been decided to construct the building of faced Omaha brick, trimmed with light colored sandstone. The general contract price is $29,200.

PURCHASE RANCH—J. C. Spicer of this city and John W. Manning of Almo, Colo, have purchased the Welborn ranch near Almo for use in connection with their dairy farm in that vicinity.

Highly Efficient Formula

FOR NERVOUS MEN AND AILING WOMEN.

Coming from a source of unquestioned authority on the ailments of men it is presumed to be infallible, while the profession generally endorse the ingredients and prescribe them in many different forms of various diseases The following formula is highly efficient in quickly restoring in nervous exhaustion, melancholia, anxiety, timidity in ventuning dizziness, heart palpitation trembling limbs, insomnia thinness, cold extremities, tired-all-in feeling and general inability to do those natural and rational acts upon which depends a man's success and happiness in social and every-day life.

The instructions for mixing at home secretly so that no embarrassment may be felt, are as follows. First get three ounces of syrup sarsaparilla compound and one ounce compound fluid baumwort, mix and let stand two hours Then add one ounce compound essence cardiol and one ounce tincture cadomene compound (not cardamom), and mix all together The directions are to take one teaspoonful after each meal and one when retiring until bounding health and full strength are restored Even a few weeks will witness most wonderful results

Astonishing nervous force and equilibrium follow the treatment no matter how serious the case

This contains no opiates whatever and may also be used by women who suffer with their nerves with absolute certainty of prompt and lasting benefits

GIVES ANNUAL AFFAIR

Minerva Society Entertains at Acacia Hotel.—Prominent People Assist in Receiving.

The Minerva society of Colorado College held its annual social function last evening at the Acacia hotel. The main dining room was decorated with myriads of blue crepe paper butterflies, and the small tables, seating four each, were adorned with white carnations and narcissus, carrying out the society colors of blue and white. The white candles were veiled in blue shades.

The president of the club, Miss Janet Kampf, received, assisted by President and Mrs. William F. Slocum, Dean and Mrs. Edward S. Parsons, Prof. and Mrs. Florian Cajori and Mr. Clare Phillips. During the evening music was furnished by Fink's orchestra.

TO MAIL CIRCULARS

Chisholm Will Send Out 13,000 Letters Asking Palmer Memorial Contributions.

R W. Chisholm of the committee in charge of the raising of funds for a statue for the late Gen. W J. Palmer, will send out 13,000 printed circular letters to every taxpayer in the county, inviting them to contribute to the fund A card with a return coin carrier will be inclosed in each envelope. There will also be a subscription blank, which may be signed by those who prefer to contribute at some future time.

WILL PARK ANOTHER PORTION WOOD AVE.

At a mass meeting in the near future, of property owners on Wood avenue from Columbia to Fontanero streets, plans will be discussed for parking the avenue in that part of the city. Mulford Robinson, the civic beauty expert, will meet with the property owners.

CASCADE BUILDING ACTIVE

Cascade is enjoying a building boom Former Mayor D N. Heizer of this city, who is interested to a great extent in Cascade property, is building six bungalows of the Edison type, at a cost of from $2,500 to $3,500 each The houses are three and five-room buildings and will be rented to tourists The capacity of the electric light plant recently built is soon to be increased from 250 to 1,000 lights.

TEACHERS EXAMINATIONS DECEMBER 16 AND 17

The regular examination for teachers of El Paso county will be held at the court house Thursday and Friday, December 16 and 17 The examinations will begin at 9 o'clock in the morning each day

MINISTERS OF CITY PREACH AT COLLEGE

Dr. Johnston to Talk Next Week, Followed by Rev. Mr. Ranney and Others.

The various clergymen of the city will conduct prayers at Colorado College during the next year, according to an announcement made yesterday Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week the Rev Dr. Howard Agnew Johnston, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will give addresses, his subjects being on ancient historic cities. "Damascus, the City of Merchants," "Athens, the City of Scholars," "Rome the City of Politicians," and "Jerusalem, the City of Religionists"

The second week of January the Rev. W. W. Ranney, pastor of the First Congregational church, will have charge, and he in turn will be followed by other clergymen The object is to bring the students in closer touch with the churches of the city

FORMER LOCAL WOMAN DIES IN ENGLAND

News of the death of Mrs. D J Crump at Charlton Kings, England, has been received by her son F F Crump, of this city Mrs Crump, who is well known here made her home in Colorado Springs up to four years ago

BUYS DENVER PROPERTY

The Gibson, a four-house apartment at 1125 Emerson street, Denver, has been sold to Lee Ullery, 114 East Del Norte street this city for $22,500 The apartment occupies two lots and is said to rent for $3,000 a year Mr Ullery purchased the property for investment purposes

SHIRT SALE.
All our $2.00 and $1.75 Negligee Shirts, all sizes $1.45.

Robbins — The Clothier

TO TURN OVER ESTATE

Trustees Will Petition District Court for Transfer Stratton Assets to Home Corporation.

Before the beginning of the new year the trustees of the Stratton estate will petition the district court for an order empowering them to turn over to the Myron Stratton Home corporation assets of the estate now in their possession, amounting to about $5,000,000.

The sum of $500,000 is to be withheld pending the settlement of claims being adjudicated by the courts. The petition will also embody a detailed report of the present financial condition of the estate, and of the by-laws which are being drawn up by the trustees of the home. The court will be asked to approve these by-laws.

As soon as the petition is granted and the court order issued, the corporation will take steps to secure plans for an administration building and such other buildings as may be considered necessary.

BUYS PROPERTY

S F Boyden has purchased the property at 213 Cheyenne road from Rachel E McConoghy. The consideration was $8,000 A warranty deed of the transfer was filed in the office of the county clerk yesterday.

BACKACHE SIMPLY VANISHES AND OUT-OF-ORDER KIDNEYS ACT FINE

Just a Few Doses Regulate the Kidneys and End Bladder Misery.

No man or woman here whose kidneys are out-of-order, or who suffers from backache or bladder misery can afford to leave Pape's Diuretic untried

After taking several doses, all pains in the back, sides or loins, rheumatic twinges, nervousness, headache, sleeplessness, inflamed or swollen eyelids dizziness, tired or worn-out feeling and other symptoms of clogged, sluggish kidneys simply vanish

Uncontrollable urination (especially at night), smarting, discolored water and all bladder misery ends

The moment you suspect the slightest kidney or bladder disorder or feel rheumatism pains don't continue to be miserable or worried but get a fifty cent treatment of Pape's Diuretic from your druggist and start taking as directed, with the knowledge that there is no other medicine, at any price, made anywhere else in the world, which is so harmless or will effect so thorough and prompt a cure

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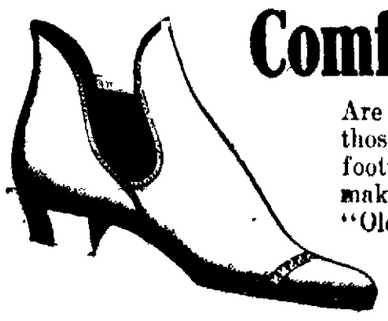

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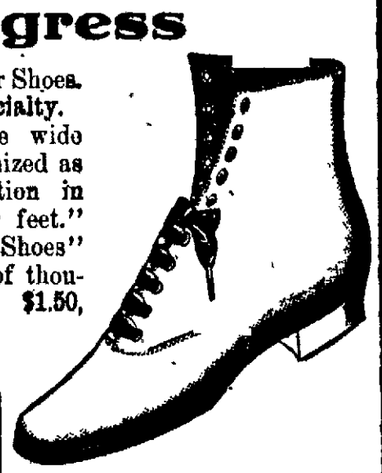

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M'QUAT RESIGNS AS MANAGER ATHETICS

College Football Players Get Letters—A. A. A. Meets in Denver Today.

At a meeting of the Athletic board of Colorado College yesterday afternoon in Palmer hall the following members of the football team were granted 'C's' as a recognition of their services on the gridiron during the last season: Captain

H. W. M'QUAT,

Who Will Represent Colorado College at A. A. A. Meeting in Denver Today.

Cary, Steele, Roe, Sinton, Copeland, Sherry, Wilson, Whitaker, Reichsmuth, Vandemoer, Thompson, Heald, Hedblom and Kittleman manager.

The following substitutes were granted "CC's:" Putnam, Murphy, Frank Morrison, LeClere, and Fowler and Hessler, assistant managers. The date for the formal presentation of the letters has not been chosen, but it will probably be next week.

H. W. McQuat tendered his resignation as manager of spring athletics, and this office, together with the management of the track team will be filled next week, when the Athletic council will meet again. The council elected H. W. McQuat to represent the college at a meeting of the Amateur Athletic association, to be held in Denver today.

A CHIP OF THE OLD BLOCK

"Willie," asked his mother,
"When you grow to be a man,
Would you like to be a lawyer
In the courts, like Uncle Dan?

"Oh, would my little darling
Like to own a magazine
And to have his name upon it
Like his mamma's brother Gene?"

"Now, come, please tell me, Willie,
Sure's you don't want to be
A captain like your grandpa
And sail the raging sea."

"No, mamma," answered Willie,
"When I grow to be a man,
I want to be like father—just
A great big baseball fan."

—Washington Star.

STUDENTS CELEBRATE THEIR "MORAL" VICTORY

In celebration of the 'moral' victory won last season by the Colorado College Tigers three score college men, accompanied by a student band, last night paraded the streets of the city. The Minerva society banquet at the Acacia hotel and all the girls' halls at the college were serenaded. Members of the football team led the procession.

CARDINAL BOSS WILL DECIDE BASEBALL CONTEST

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Stanley Robison of St. Louis is the man who will decide the presidency of the National Baseball league at the meeting next week in New York. The St. Louis magnate has been in Chicago for several days, and while here he consulted with Charles W. Murphy about the coming election, but it is not known whether he will cast his vote for John A. Heydler or John M. Ward. It is within the power of the boss of the Cardinals to cloud the baseball sky with war clouds, or he may establish peace again in the ranks of the national sport.

By voting for Heydler, Robison will make the fourth vote for the present holder of the office, but if he sides with Ward, he will make his election a certainty, and leave the friends of Heydler only three votes. Robison announced some time ago that he would not decide which way to vote until he gets to New York next week. He is a sick man at present, and it is probable that he will not go to New York, but he will make every effort to get there.

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FAKE TALK IS MAKING "TEX" RICKARD PEEVISH

BOSTON, Dec. 9.—"The Jeffries-Johnson bout will be held in Salt Lake City, and it will be no fake," was "Tex" Rickard's declaration here today.

"I am sick of this fake talk," said Rickard, "and I will give anyone $5,000 if they will show me anything crooked in the arrangements. I knew the day before the bids were opened that Johnson would stand by me, and that Jeffries would be with Gleason. So we got together and talked the matter over, and came to an understanding. Coffroth told Gleason to go ahead and come in with me. That left Coffroth out of the whole affair, and I want the public to know he has nothing to do with it:

"I will not have to fix any official in Salt Lake in order to pull the bout off there. The bankers, brokers and business men of the city want me to hold it there, and have given me all the assurance necessary that it will not be interfered with. The Salt palace, where the bout will be held, will, with some alterations, hold 30,000 people."

ANNUAL C. C. INTERCLASS FOOTBALL GAME TODAY

The freshmen and sophomore football teams of Colorado College will clash this afternoon on Washburn field, in their annual contest for supremacy in this line. Both teams have been practicing all week, and are in good trim for the game. The sophomores, reinforced by six first-team men, stand as the best bet, but the freshmen are anxious to retrieve former defeats, and will play their hardest game.

The teams will line up as follows:

Freshmen.		Sophomores.
Bowers	le	M. Morrison
Budelier	lt	Johnston
LeClere	lg	Wilkinson
Witherow	c	Hedblom
Floyd	rg	Hazen
Howard (C.)	rt	Thompson
J. Sinton	re	Sinton
Moody	q	Putnam, Reed
Acker	lh	Vandamoer (C.)
Cort	fb	Murphy
Benjamin	rh	Whipple

GENTLEMAN BOXER AND WRESTLER WHO PERSISTS IN SEEKING GOTCH'S SCALP

On the right is R. F. Roller as he appears when he answers his surgeon's call, at the left is Roller, the boxer.

GREENCASTLE, Ind., Dec. 9.—A real college chap, classy, sporty, bright, a society favorite an athletic hero such was the Frank Roller students of old De Pauw knew back in 1899. He was not one of the Merry Boys. But he actually passed up cigarettes. Today R. F. Roller, the greatest all-around athlete, is challenging Frank Gotch for his laurels and hoping for a fight with the winner of the Jeffries-Johnson bout. Modesty is not one of Roller's failings but he admits he has no right according to any conceivable kind of "dope" to meet either of these men, but he maintains he has confidence in his ability to win.

Roller's life story is that of the husky country boy who goes to the university to work his way. As soon as his possibilities were recognized by the college coach he found congenial employment. He was as studious as he was active in training. He came into prominence early in his freshman year and before the season ended was a college hero. The following year Roller and Babe Williamson were instrumental in bringing the football honors of the middle west to De Pauw. Since then he has been in the public eye almost constantly. He is famous principally for his achievements on the mat.

AT JACKSONVILLE

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 9.—The feature of today's card at Monoriet was the race for 2-year-olds which went to Indian Maid, whose price at the closing was 3 to 2. Butwell's superior jockeyship was largely responsible for the victory. Pereine Hindoo and Mary Gift, both favorites, won and took considerable money with them, both horses being played heavily. Irrigator proved a surprise in the sixth, and won for a few brokers at a price as good as 7 to 1.

Magazine Notes

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9.—Ernest B. Crane, center on the University of Pennsylvania football team, was today elected captain of next year's squad.

The West Side indoor baseball team clinched the lead in the Y. M. C. A. league by defeating the Stragos, 8 to 7, last night. The game was fast and close. The Golden Cycle team defeated the South End organization by a score of 26 to 10.

TAMPA, Fla., Dec. 9.—Splendid weather attended the running of today's card when the public was again rewarded by their choices. Six favorites won, one of them, Juliette M., being the good thing of the day.

Football is on the shelf for the season, but there are still a few good weeks ahead in which we can get out of doors and figure who won the western championship.

Zbyszko didn't appear to mind Gotch's toelock at Buffalo. He had a timelock of 60 minutes and the Iowa farmer could not find the combination.

Many explanations are being made as to what particular form of play causes most injuries at football. "Impact" seems to be the best answer.

Lovely weather for baseball and football. Why did they quit so soon?

Faint clickings of the "return" signal flashed from the Ann Arbor wireless station seem to have been caught by some of the operators at the conference colleges. They sounded something like "P. D. Q."

WOULD LIKE NEW TRIAL BEFORE A SOBER JURY

Banker Morse Declares Blame of Jurors Who Convicted Him Were Befuddled With Drink

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—"If the government has a good case it can prove it again, but if I am denied a new trial there is no remedy for me against the wrongs and misconduct of which I think the special officers and jury were guilty."

This is what Charles W. Morse, convicted banker, who faces a 15-year term in the federal prison at Atlanta, says tonight, in a statement in which he comments on his case. A motion for a new trial has been set to be heard tomorrow in the United States circuit court which convicted him, but the argument may be postponed. The statement issued by Morse continues:

"What the end will be I am not able to foretell—whether servitude under a sentence which is rarely imposed even upon a murderer—or a new trial, with a chance to submit my case to another jury after the passions of panic have ceased and the cry for a victim has ceased. If it be servitude in a distant state and climate away from my family and friends, I shall meet it with the firm consciousness that I have not violated the law or done wrong to a single individual.

"You ask me what misconduct of the jury I refer to. Well, I refer to the fact that a majority of them, instead of keeping their heads clear and their blood cool, drank enough and often enough to prevent them from receiving or understanding and calmly weighing the complicated facts of my case."

SEEKS REAPPORTIONMENT

City of Denver Claims to Be Unfairly Treated in Division of Railroad Taxes

DENVER, Dec. 9.—Suit was brought in the district court today by the board of education and the municipality of Denver against the state board of equalization, praying for a reapportionment of assessments against the railroads operating in and out of Denver.

Under the present system of taxation the outside counties in the state are receiving, it is maintained, a greater revenue from the assessments of railroads than Denver.

It is alleged that the five railroads that receive benefits from the city of Denver are assessed on only 45 miles of trackage in the city.

The county commissioners, by resolution today instructed County Attorney Milton Smith to join in as party plaintiff in the suit.

LAMAR MIDDLETON DEAD

PARIS, Dec. 9.—Lamar Middleton, one of the best known newspaper correspondents in Europe, and a nephew of Lucius Quintus Lamar, died today suddenly at his home at the age of 37. He had a wide acquaintance with statesmen and was recognized as an authority on international

WANTS TO SETTLE DOWN

PUEBLO, Dec. 9.—After moving from one state to another with her husband for the last 40 years Mrs. Mary J. Millard grew tired of establishing new homes and got a divorce here today. When her husband left here a few months ago to find another residence she refused to follow him. They were married in 1867 and they moved so often that the woman told the court she could not remember the number of times.

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What the Press Agents Say

GEO. M. COHAN'S "THE TALK OF NEW YORK"

A remarkable young man is George M. Cohan. When they devise a musical play in England, it usually requires the services of four authors—one for the music, one for the chatter, one for the lyrics and one for the book—but a Cohan play never has but one name attached, and, besides composing the music, writing the book and lyrics and devising the stage business, George M. Cohan also superintends every detail of the production from the time it goes into first rehearsal until it is completed and presented before an audience. "The Talk of New York," Victor Moore's new vehicle, is from the pen of this able author, and is said to be a very excellent musical play. It comes to the Opera House tomorrow evening.

The Salt Lake Tribune says:

"The Big Smoke" is here. He came yesterday and on Monday night he made his appearance at the Salt Lake theater. And when he had responded to the several curtain calls and delivered his specialty monologue the big audience was in love with him. This 'Big Smoke' is Victor Moore, who, with an exceptionally good company, presents that Cohanese musical success "The Talk of New York." And it is a corking good musical play. It is as good as "The Yankee Prince," in which George M. Cohan himself appeared here recently. It is not stretching the mark to say that Victor Moore, in his role as Kid Burns, is just as good as is Cohan, in fact, he is more funny than is the man who wrote this play, this best of the Cohan plays and in which Mr. Moore has a brilliant record.

"'The Talk of New York' is filled with the brightest chatter, with refined slang with music that is catchy. It is beautifully staged. It is clean. And there is a pretty love story running throughout. And then Mr. Moore is such a delightful comedian whose humor is genuine. The play goes with a dash. It is snappy. The dialogue is good. There is no spotlight brought into requisition to bring out the star, for the entire company scintillates and the beams of his own personality radiate.

There are others in this musical play besides Victor Moore. The others enact the roles assigned them in a creditable manner. And the chorus, like all choruses in a Cohan production, is a strong one, and in the "Talk of New York" there are no abbreviated skirts, no decollete gowns, which is a relief, and while the members of this chorus are not all beautiful, they are not all ugly. The stage settings are handsome. "The Talk of New York" will run until and including Wednesday night, with a Wednesday matinee. Many of those who witnessed the production Monday night will go again. You will regret it if you do not go.

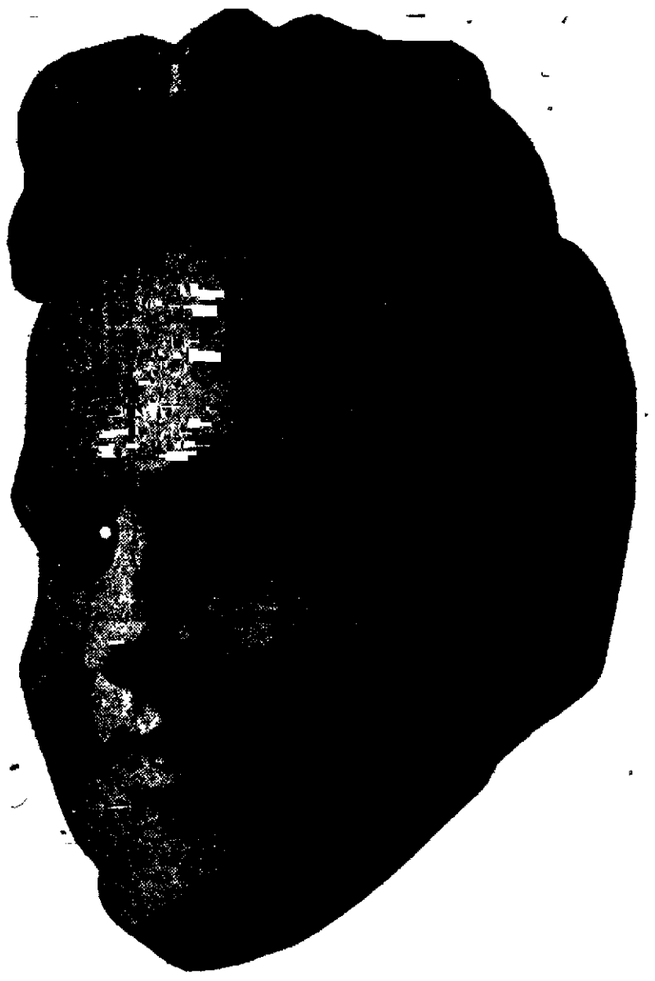
SEATS TODAY, "IN OLD KENTUCKY"

The attraction at the Opera House Monday will be "In Old Kentucky," the play that appears to have found the fountain of perpetual youth. Since it was originally produced, over 16 years ago, it has never been withdrawn from the stage for a single season, and has amassed a fortune for its lucky managers, Litt & Dingwall. While its story is an old and familiar one now-a-days, theater patrons seem to enjoy a re-telling of it, for it invariably attracts crowded houses wherever it is presented. With a mountain maid for a heroine, the action begins amid the peaks and ravines of eastern Kentucky.

Here the simple mountain lass meets her Bluegrass sweetheart. To save him from impending danger, she follows him to his home near Lexington there disguises herself as a jockey, and to save his fortunes, rides his horse, "Queen Bess," to victory in a famous Kentucky race on the Lexington course. A moonshiner, a Kentucky colonel, a faithful old negro servant and several other types are central figures in the story which holds the interest of the playgoer from beginning to end. An attractive and novel feature of "In Old Kentucky" is its band of little colored boys who sing, dance, unite to form a brass band and otherwise disport themselves to the genuine entertainment of the audience.

An elaborate s[illegible] of ways forms part of "In Old Kentucky's" charm. All a company of unusual excellence is invariably furnished. There is more genuine entertainment and interest in a performance of this popular old play than in half a dozen dramas of latter-day output.

Seats are now on sale. Prices are 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.



VICTOR MOORE IN "THE TALK OF NEW YORK"

George M. Cohan's Greatest Musical Comedy Success, With the Original "Kid" Burns, Comes to the Opera House Tomorrow Evening for the First Time

MISS RIAL A GREAT EMOTIONAL ACTRESS

As fine a bit of emotional acting as was ever done by any of the leading stars of recent years is that of Miss Vira Rial, in the unique psychic sketch, "The Witch's Power," which is one of the striking acts of this week's great Majestic program.

Miss Rial plays the part of a New Orleans physician who is an expert in hypnotic matters and has incurred the enmity of a convict by his work in ferreting out crime. The scene is laid in their home at night the doctor being called away, after receiving a note from the police accompanied by a revolver, telling him that the convict intends to murder him. Mr. Will S. Marion who presents the sketch takes the parts of both the physician and the convict and in the second scene as the latter confronts the wife in her home and threatens to kill her if she moves or makes an outcry.

The scene is thrilling and it comes to a fine climax when, having disobeyed the desperate man's commands, he is about to stab her, and she exerts hypnotic influence over him causing the knife to fall from his lifeless hands. From a histrionic standpoint the work of both actors is superb and the sketch is deservedly popular.

BUSONI, GREATEST PIANIST.

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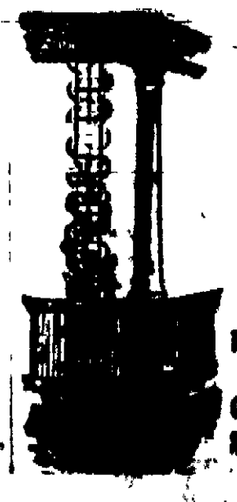
Busoni possesses in unrivaled degree the power of drawing from the piano an infinite and diverse variety of tones and nuances and no other living man can do this as he can. Under his hands the piano becomes a musical palette with which he produces colors of a richness and brilliancy beyond conception. His command of touch gives to his pianistic polyphony a relief of unbelievable subtleness and puissance. Busoni is the only pianist that I seem to hear, if one may be pardoned the hazardous metaphor through a stereoscope. An exceptionally powerful impression was made at the first of his three recitals in one of his admirable transcriptions of organ pieces by Bach, in which he produced sounds from the piano that gave one the illusion of listening to the flutes and wood-winds of the organ, his disposition of the different voices and of the organization as a whole was given with marvelous balance and there was never any brutality, never any wantonness—there was nothing hard and nothing weak.

The incomparable certainty of his playing retains a suppleness and an elasticity which are life itself. These qualities of themselves far surpass the demands of technic alone, their perfection reveals a rare artistic nature. It is self-evident that Busoni is a pianist defies criticism.—Courier Musical, Paris.

Rubber leads in acreage and will soon be the most important agricultural product of the Federated Malay States. At this time Ceylon is the leading producer. Rubber exports in [illegible] are seven times those of 1902.

HORSE RACE SCENE IN "IN OLD KENTUCKY."

The Famous Old Play Which Makes Its Biennial Appearance at the Opera House Monday Evening.



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BUY THE RED CROSS STAMPS.

THE sale of Red Cross Christmas stamps in this city, which began last Monday, has thus far been heavy enough to encourage the belief that a great many more will be sold than were disposed of in the holiday season last year. At that time more than $700 was realized from the sale of the stamps, and this sum forms the nucleus of the fund with which it is intended to build a free tuberculosis sanitarium for the poor.

The large sum realised throughout the country last year by the sale of Red Cross stamps was a gratifying surprise. Two years ago the experiment had been tried on a small scale in the East, with results which justified the belief that the country at large would take kindly to the plan. But the most optimistic promoters of the stamp sale did not anticipate such an immediate and generous response from the public. The newspapers gave full publicity to the scheme, and the people did the rest. They bought the stamps as fast as they were offered for sale, and thus many thousands of dollars were realised for charitable purposes which otherwise would not have been had.

NOT GOOD FOR POSTAGE. A word of caution seems necessary as to the nature of these stamps. A current report declares that already the dead letter office at Washington is receiving a great many letters bearing Red Cross stamps but without the usual two-cent postage stamp. The Red Cross stamp has no value as payment for postage, and when affixed to mail matter must be accompanied by the regulation postage. As its originators put the case, "the Red Cross stamp will not carry mail matter, but any mail matter will carry the Red Cross stamp." The Postoffice Department has no connection with the scheme, except that it has shown a friendly disposition by permitting the stamps to be sold in the lobbies of postoffices throughout the country.

The Red Cross stamps are issued by the National Red Cross Association and sold at one cent each. In Colorado Springs two-thirds of the amount received from the sale is retained by the Associated Charities for the tuberculosis sanitarium building fund, and the remainder goes to the National Red Cross. The stamp is of artistic design, and when affixed to a letter or Christmas package is not only an agreeable reminder to the recipient of the holiday season, but carries a significance of its own, for it means that another penny has been contributed to carry on the world-wide fight against the worst of all scourges, the great white plague.

AN UNAPPRECIATED PLEASURE RESORT.

MENTION the Garden of the Gods to almost any tourist, or to an individual in nearly any other part of the country than Colorado Springs, and he probably will display an active interest. He may not have heard of the numerous other scenic wonders in this vicinity, but Pikes Peak and the Garden of the Gods he has seen pictured and described since his childhood. The geographies of our school days contained pictures of the Gateway, and a brief reference to the Garden of the Gods as one of the great natural wonders of the continent, ranking with the Yellowstone Park and the Grand Canon.

But it is a curious fact that this small tract of land with its remarkable rock formations is far less appreciated right here at home than it is abroad. It is a case somewhat analogous to that of the prophet who is without honor among his own people. Here in Colorado Springs most of us have got the idea that the Garden of the Gods is a second-rate attraction, at least in comparison with some other attractions which are not as far-famed.

But the fact is that most Colorado Springs people do not know the Garden of the Gods; at any rate their acquaintance with it is too slight to justify their criticisms. They have driven through it of course that is, they have driven through the Gateway, followed the road past the Balanced Rock and gone out at the other end. They have seen the [illegible] camels, the seal and the lion, and fondly imagined that they have seen the Garden of the Gods. The truth is that they have only seen a part of it.

Nobody is to be blamed for this general lack of information because the facilities for seeing this [illegible] wonderful natural park are, and always have been wholly inadequate. There is only one road in the Garden, so if one really wants to see the parks [illegible] are inaccessible from that part he can not do it. Not many people are sufficiently fond of roughing it to make the jaunt afoot, and the result is that everybody follows the main road.

Thanks to the generosity of the late Charles E. Perkins, the title to the Garden of the Gods is soon to be transferred to the city of Colorado Springs, and [illegible] of the property will pass to the Park Commission. It is the intention of that body to build new roads and bridle paths and otherwise improve the place so that it will be more accessible to visitors. Colorado Springs people, as well as [illegible], will then have a chance really to get acquainted with the Garden of the Gods for the first time. They ought to improve it, for there are things there worth seeing.

THE MUNICIPAL BOOSTERS.

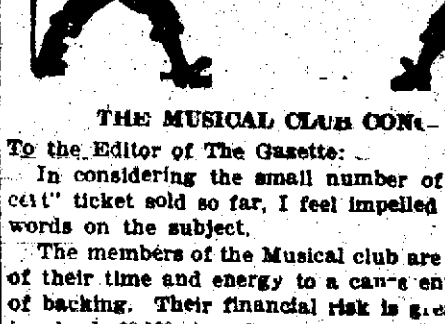
THIS western land has lately given to the world a new profession. It is composed of the officials of the municipal "boosting" clubs, called Chambers of Commerce, Boards of Trade or Publicity Associations, as the case may be. These men are making the name of the West favorably and correctly known throughout the land. They are doing more than that. They are making people in their own localities wake up to a realization of the possibilities of proper publicity.

There lately died in Salt Lake City a man who had been the professional convention getter of that city for a decade. For years Fisher S. Harris had stood for the proper advertising of the city abroad, and for its advance along safe and sane lines. His last great stroke of business and advertising acumen was the bringing of the great G. A. R. convention to Salt Lake City. So much had he done for his adopted city that when he died, in spite of that city's bitter religious differences, all classes united to do him homage.

Other instances might be named. They are having trouble in Denver at present in finding a fit successor to W. F. R. Mills, the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, who has the erection of many useful public and semipublic buildings, and the securing of innumerable national conventions to his credit. The rapid growth of the cities of the Pacific Coast has been due in large part to the efforts of the men in this new profession. Throughout the West can be found examples of public-spirited men who are making the name of their cities known abroad, and at the same time being a power for good in their own communities. Here in Colorado Springs we are and have been particularly fortunate in having efficient men in charge.

They can continue to be a power for good. By constant, steady advertising of the right sort they can make the names of their communities better known. To be able to make good when the visitors come they must further stand, in their own homes, for all ideas that will properly develop the city.

These men have so far done their work well, and they deserve encouragement in their new profession. Let them continue in their work of properly advertising their cities and they will secure that support from the citizens which will make the West become, as never before, the "Land of Opportunity."



THE MUSICAL CLUB CONCERTS.

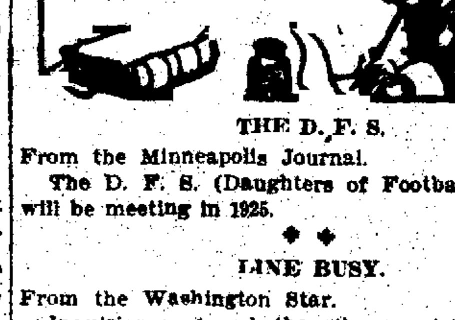
To the Editor of The Gazette:

In considering the small number of "artist concert" ticket sold so far, I feel impelled to say a few words on the subject.

The members of the Musical club are giving freely of their time and energy to a cause entirely worthy of backing. Their financial risk is great. The sum involved, $2,500, is a large one for a club like ours. Besides, there is another risk. If this venture fails, the series of concerts so long given by the Colorado Springs Musical club comes to an end, at least for years. The club has found by experience that the best and only the best is wanted. Now they are giving the best, Busoni, Wuellner and Mischa Elman, three of the world's artists. As in other acts the best is expensive. So let all music lovers respond to the appeal of the club, and respond quickly.

ALBERT C. PEARSON.

Colorado Springs, December 9.



THE D. F. S.

From the Minneapolis Journal.

The D. F. S. (Daughters of Football Survivors) will be meeting in 1925.

LINE BUSY.

From the Washington Star.

Inquiries as to whether the acquisition of telegraph stock by telephone interests constitutes a merger are likely to be met with the information that the line is busy.

WORLD NOT READY TO DISARM.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

If all the men of all the nations were to refuse to become soldiers there would be peace. Count Tolstoi advocates this. It is a pleasing proposition, though it savors of disregard of government and tradition and all established things. It is difficult to think of all the nations without armies.

How about the Negritos in the Philippines, and the cimitered subjects of the sultan of Sulu? How about Russia's own wild Tchulstchi and Gilyaks and Yukaghirs? How about Great Britain's burden of Zulus and Bushmen? And the head hunting Dyaks of Borneo? And Mexico's Yaquis? Would each and all of these peoples agree to lay aside the spear and scalping knife, and turn to agriculture and literature?

Peace is most desirable. If all Russians were to refuse to become soldiers it would theoretically be a good thing. If all Englishmen and Frenchmen, if all Servians and Bulgarians were to follow suit, how like the millennium it would be! But, unfortunately, all the world is not ready. A goodly share of the world still likes to kill its brother man, and the brother man (he of Europe and America) must be prepared yet for a time to keep himself from getting too promiscuously killed. A nation that has the Philippines to look after needs an army, imperatively.

The less war the better, but in this age, which is not the golden one, guns with gunpowder in them are still a necessity. Some time the necessity will have passed, but it has not passed yet.

THE MISUSE OF WORDS.

From the Buffalo Commercial.

Those who find a never-ending pleasure in reading the works of Goldsmith, Addison, "Rollicking Dick" Steele and our own genial Irving must suffer something like literary nausea in turning over the pages of some modern newspapers in quest of news. Why should the society editor insist that a wedding "occurred," instead of taking place? But this abuse of the word seems venial when we turn to the sporting page and find that every event recorded from a dog fight to a running race is "classy." It may be assumed by some critics that this word flashed upon the sporting fraternity as a great prize through the revival of the Olympic games. Greek authors wrote books now known as classics, and by the same token their athletic games obtained a like designation. But why should a prize fight be called "classy"? Probably the word is a slangy equivalent of "high class." At any rate, it is as illegitimate and offensive as "brainy."

But the offending is not confined to the editors of sporting pages. To go through the catalogue of misused words would far exceed the limits of any editorial article. Yet one can hardly leave the subject without recording a solemn protest against the phrase "armed with a warrant," or the aeronaut who "negotiates a trip" around the aerodrome. And one would like to add that "inaugurate," which means to induct in office, does not happily characterize the running of a new railroad train or the opening sale of autumn millinery.

The colleges of America are doing good work in their departments of English literature to prevent the wanton misuse and abuse of our magnificent language, but the education should begin in our grammar schools, where the great majority of our children receive their only education.

WASTED COMPLIMENTS

When first mine eyes beheld the sea, its majesty appealed to me; I stood alone upon the shore, and listened to the breakers roar, and cried aloud: "Flow, Ocean, flow! You are the biggest thing I know! Flow on, flow on, ye mighty waves, o'er darkened caves and sailors' graves, and wash the rocks of shores afar, and beat the cliffs where sirens are; flow on where sunny islands lie, and moan your message to the sky, and wail it where Atlantis stood—I would not stop you if I could! Your vastness shakes the human nerves! Until I watched your mighty curves, and heard your voice, that nobly swells, like forty thousand college yells, and saw your wreckage drift like straws, I never knew how small I was!" Thus I addressed the raging sea; it seemed to pay no heed to me; some little spray on me it threw, and wrecked a ship, and drowned a crew, and tore a lighthouse from its rock, and chased a whale around a block. "Alas!" I mused, "it doesn't pay to hand the sea a big bouquet; I passed it quite a compliment—it doesn't seem to care a cent; no more my praises will resound, and it can chase itself around, and slop along as best it may; I pass it up; so, Sea, good day!"

WALT MASON.

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The Daily Chit-Chat

If it is a question of doubting what circumstances say or what a human being says, why not give the human being the benefit of the doubt?

For as far as my experience goes circumstances are quite as apt to lie as people in fact rather more so.

Hasn't yours been the same?

Haven't you more often had cause to regret that you suspected someone when circumstances accused him, than that you refused to believe suspicious circumstances?

And then isn't it much less painful to find that you have suspected circumstances unjustly than people?

An acquaintance I will not say a friend of mine missed a ring at a summer hotel. She had not worn the ring since she had been there so could not have lost it off. The room had been locked while she was out of it and only the chambermaid had access to it. Oh, yes, the chambermaid seemed like a very nice girl and in all her five years of service at that hotel had never had her honesty questioned. And of course she denied knowing anything about the ring who wouldn't? But look at the circumstances.

There could not be any doubt about the matter. The maid must have stolen it.

Later the woman found that she had not brought the ring to the hotel at all and that it was safe at home.

I wouldn't have been in her shoes and experienced the feelings she ought to have experienced for five hundred dollars.

In a little town of Indiana is a woman who, by being more willing to believe in circumstances than in the man she loved, missed twenty years of happiness.

I think it was a fit punishment for her but unfortunately it included ten years in jail for the man.

She missed a valuable ring just after a visit from her fiance, promptly made up her mind that he had slipped it off while he was holding her hand, accused him, appeared against him in court, and succeeded in getting him put in jail for a ten year sentence.

That was twenty years ago.

A few weeks ago the ring was found in cleaning out an old spring, which she then remembered she had gone to for water the night of her lover's visit. She wrote to the wronged man and asked him to come and see her.

He came and this ending surely is stranger than any fiction—forgave her and married her.

But I don't see how she can ever look at him without blushing with shame and wanting to get down on her knees to him for what she has done.

The law believes every man innocent until he is proven guilty.

If we could all learn to be as kind as the law, there would be fewer hasty accusations and fewer bitter regrets.

RUTH CAMERON.

Menus With Recipes

FRIDAY.

BREAKFAST.
Fruit.
Cereal. Sugar and Cream.
Codfish Balls.
Griddle Cakes. Coffee.

LUNCH.
Raw Clams. Pickles.
Baked Potatoes with Cream.
Evaporated Fruit. Tea.

DINNER.
Cream of Spinach Soup.
Fish Cutlets. Cream Sauce.
Mashed Potatoes. Beets.
Cream Chicken Salad.
Peach Short Cake. Coffee.

Cream Chicken Salad. Cut into dice sufficient cold chicken to measure one pint. Heat one cupful of strong chicken stock; season highly with salt and white pepper, add two tablespoonfuls of tarragon vinegar and one-quarter of a box of gelatine soaked in a little cold stock. Strain and set aside until beginning to thicken, then beat slowly until frothy all through and fairly stiff. Stir in one cupful of thick cream whipped to a solid froth and the prepared chicken and turn into wetted fancy mold. When cold serve on a bed of blanched lettuce leaves and garnish with mayonnaise mixed with an equal quantity of stiffly whipped cream.

Peach Short Cake. Mix together one pint of flour, one tablespoonful of sugar, one scant teaspoonful of salt and one heaping teaspoonful of baking powder, then rub in a half cupful of butter. Mix to a soft dough with sweet milk, roll out and divide into two circular pieces. Bake these on layer cake pans. While hot split carefully, butter liberally, cover each half with a thick layer of canned peaches and serve at once with plenty of cream or a custard sauce.

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POLITENESS.

From Lippincott's Magazine.

Politeness consists in concealing from other people the fact that they annoy you.

If a man springs up from his seat in a crowded car to give it to a woman, that is politness. If he permits his wife to drag a chair from one room to another while he is smoking and reading the evening paper, that is innocent absorption.

It pays to be polite when it doesn't cost anything.

Politeness originated in the garden of Eden, when Adam fell merely to oblige Eve. (And yet they say that man is selfish!)

We should always be polite to our inferiors in the presence of our superiors. Nothing is more effective.

The man who is truly polite never forgets himself. Such a man, if he is obliged to kick another man downstairs, will always see that his hat is sent out to him.

Children are naturally impolite, until they are taught that they cannot hope to make much money without.

Always be polite when you are borrowing money from a friend. Remember that it doesn't cost anything to give him the impression that you are going to pay him back.

There are two kinds of politeness: politeness to yourself and politeness to others.

When you come home late at night, for example, even if you are very tired, always remove your hat and coat before getting into bed. It is little attentions like this that constitute you a gentleman. At the same time, do not disturb your wife if you can possibly avoid it. It is the height of rudeness to awaken a sleeping lady.

The polite man is always welcome everywhere. That is, almost everywhere except at a bargain counter, a fire, or a financial panic.

Then he is de trop.

A TREE'S REMARKABLE CONE.

The Sugar Pine, Once Believed the Greatest Tree, and Its Big Fruit.

From the Kansas City Star.

The largest cones borne by any trees in the world are those of the sugar pine in the Sierra Nevada mountains. These cones range from 15 to 25 inches in length, with a diameter, when green, of three or three and a half inches. They ripen in the autumn of the second season after the blossom, and the scales then spread to permit the seeds to fall. This spreading of the scales fully doubles the diameter of the cones, making them great brown pendants, averaging more than a foot and a half in length and six inches in diameter. They remain upon the trees for another year, and then fall, making an odd showing upon the needle-carpeted ground. The "sugar" from which the tree derives it name excludes from the heart wood on scars and wounds, forming white, candy-like masses that taste very much like maple sugar. The wood is pale yellow in color, fine grained and equal to the best varieties of white pine for all commercial purposes. Consequently, the accessible sugar pine forests, not under government control as national forests, have been sadly ravaged.

In curious contrast to the great pendants borne by the sugar pines are the diminutive cones of the giant sequoias —the greatest trees in the world. These cones are rarely more than two and a half inches long and about one inch in diameter, consisting of thirty or forty rhomboidal scales, with from four to eight seeds at the base of each. The sugar pines grow abundantly in every region of the Sierras where the sequoias are found; and among the world's coniferous trees the sugar pines are second only to the sequoias. Trees of this species commonly attain a height of six or eight feet at the height of a man above the ground. A few aged patriarchs that have been standing for seven or eight centuries are 10 to 12 feet in diameter, and 240 or 250 feet high, with magnificent crowns that spread 75 feet across. This species of tree was discovered by David Douglass, in the fall of 1826, in southern Oregon. The sequoias had not yet been found, and for a number of years the sugar pine was believed to be the king of all forest growths. The trunk tapers gradually towards the top, sheathed in a purple-brown bark, free from limbs for fully half its height.

Miss Sorabji is said to be the only woman lawyer in India. She is said to make a comfortable income by practicing her profession and to encourage other women to follow her example.

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Fancy Box Stationery for Gifts

There's dainty stationery here for all ages and nothing is more heartily appreciated. Just look at these prices.

Stationery in Fancy Xmas Boxes, 6x7 inches, ruled, good width, wallet flap envelopes, Holly banded, 3 styles Holly covered boxes. Worth 25c; special.......10c

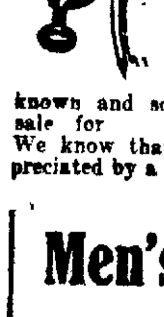
Juvenile Paper, in fancy Xmas boxes, extra high grade paper, ribbon tied. Regular 15c values; special.......10c

Good Grade Linen Box Paper, 7x7 inches, Oxford red box, oval medallion on cover; extra nice finish. Worth 35c; special.......15c

Extra Fine Finished Linen Paper in 5x10-inch Holly covered padded box, ribbon tied. Worth 65c.......49c

Xmas Stationery in 6x10-inch Holly designs, wreaths and sprays, in colors and gold. Fine quality linen paper and wallet flap envelopes. Double quantities; special.......69c

Extra Fine Finished Box Paper; 10x10 inch box in fancy and artistic designs, double quantity envelopes and paper, tied with ribbon. Regular $1.50 value; special.......98c



Our Gem Chopper 98c

Our Gem food chopper, so well known and so highly prized, in this sale for.......98c
We know that this offer will be appreciated by a large number of patrons.

Our Christmas Cards

This year our showing of Christmas cards and postals far exceeds any previous effort. A really beautiful line of cards at 10c per dozen. These you will find conveniently just inside the front door.

2 Electric Globes for 25c

Regular 16-candle power electric globes; special, 2 for.......25c

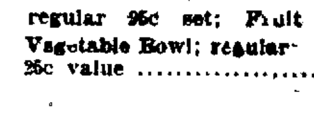
No 7 Solid Copper Tea Kettle 98c

Our regular $1.10 value, made of solid copper, seamless body, full nickel plated, on sale.......98c

Men's Fine Shirts 39c A Special Sale

It isn't often that 75c values in Men's Shirts are offered at 39c, so we want you to see these that you may assure yourself of the quality; there's a fine selection of the newest patterns in Men's Dress Shirts, with soft bosoms, stripes and plaids, and figures, and the popular tans; some with cuffs attached, some detached; if you see these shirts you will buy more than one; they're on sale today and Saturday at.......39c

Our Christmas Dinnerware 10c in open stock 15c



Ramona plain edge border, English white and gold, St. Regis green, illuminated with gold, Rosebud border pattern; Glendale floral design; your choice of these six patterns in the following selections:

Breakfast Plates, regular $1.25 set; Tea Plates, Pie Plates, Bread and Butter Plates; Oatmeal Dishes, regular 95c set; Fruit Dishes; Vegetable Bowl; regular 25c value.......10c

Tea Cup and Saucers, reg. $1.45 set; Dinner Plates, reg. $1.45 set; Coupe Soup Plates, reg. $1.25 set; Oblong or Round Vegetable Dish, reg. 35c value; Large Size Bowl, 25c value.......15c

All special sale prices offered on Sets of Dishes for our Room-for-Christmas sale are continued for this week.

Hosiery Prices for Two Days Matchless Values

Children's Ribbed Hose.
Children's Fast Black Ribbed Hose; sliced heel and toe; strictly fast good yarn. Extra good value, 3 pairs for.......25c

Boys' and Girls' School Hose.
Boys' and Girls' School Hose, extra heavy foot, spliced heel and toe; lisle finish; fine and heavy ribbed, extra value, 2 pairs for.......25c

Ladies' Rib Top Fast Black Hose.
Ladies' Rib Top Fast Black Hose, full seamless, spliced heel and toe, firmly knit; lisle finish; long ribbed top; extra good value; 2 pairs for.......25c

Ladies' Fast Black Hose.
Ladies' Fast Black Hose, full seamless, fine gauge, spliced heel and toe; elastic welt top, lisle finished, special 3 pairs for.......25c

Men's Half Hose, 3 Pairs 25c.
Men's Silk Finish Half Hose, superior make, spliced heel and toe; fast colors, light blue, dark blue, brown, red and black; special value, 3 pair..25c

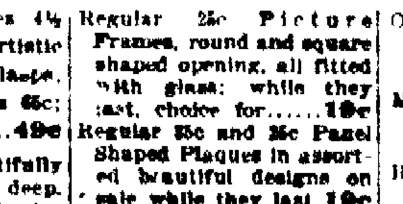
Black Mercerized Half Hose.
Men's Black Mercerized Half Hose; evenly knit, superior mercerized finish, double heel and toe, full seamless rib top; special 15c; 2 pair for.......25c

"Wearwell" Seamless Half Hose.
Name "Wearwell" is sufficient guarantee of the quality, finely knit, double strengthened heel and toe, white rib top, assorted blue and brown, 6 pairs for.......25c

Ladies' Bett's Hosiery, Pair 25c.
Ladies' Full Fashioned Fast Black Hose, gauze lisle thread, reinforced garter top, high spliced heel, double sole, narrowed ankle, wide welt; extra good value; pair.......25c

Only Two More Days Wood Sale Today and Saturday

These make-room prices have done wonders in this department. You still have an opportunity to profit by them. Next week it's our regular prices again,—below competition yet more than a trifle higher than those prevailing today and Saturday. Here are a few:



A nice selection of small articles in wood, worth regularly 10c; in this sale, your choice for only.. 5c
In the 10c lot we have some values worth regularly up to 25c, including handkerchief and glove boxes and some few large size plaques choice of the lot.......10c

Beautiful Lace Boxes, 5½x11 inches 4½ inches in depth, beautiful and artistic designs, well made with fancy clasps, our regular price for this box is 65c; on sale today and Saturday......49c

Men's Cuff and Collar Boxes, beautifully designed, 8x8 inches, 5½ inches deep. These boxes are well worth 65c, for today and Saturday sale, all go for 49c

Book Rack, folds up flat, fine design; regular 35c value.......29c

Regular 25c Picture Frames, round and square shaped opening, all fitted with glass; while they last, choice for......19c

Regular 35c and 25c Panel Shaped Plaques in assorted beautiful designs on sale while they last 19c

Regular 35c Oval Shaped Plaques, all the very finest designs, on sale while they last, for.......19c

Our Regular $1.50 Taborets, hexagon shape, like cut, fine designs, while they last.......$1.39

Match Holders in fancy shapes and very appropriate designs, regular 25c values; special.......19c

Regular 65c Checker Boards, 20 inches square.......49c

Hand Mirrors, French bevel plate glass, two shapes in handles, fine selections of designs, regular 65c values; while they last.......49c

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White Russian Soap 7 bars for 25c

MEADOW SWEET Toilet Soap 10 bars for 25c

Friday Soap Sale 25c Not delivered except with other goods.

HEADLIGHT Parlor Matches 2 boxes for 5c

Our P & G Naphtha Soap 6 bars for 25c

PEET BROS. FERN Laundry Soap 9 bars for 25c

Fairy Toilet Soap 15 bars for 25c

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News of Local Courts

Arthur A. Fox colored, former janitor at the county court house, yesterday afternoon pleaded not guilty to a charge of petty larceny, and was released by Justice Dunnington under bond in the sum of $100. Mr. Julia Embry, 802 North Walnut street, charges Fox with stealing a watch from her. Fox claims that she dropped the watch and that he picked it up and later turned it over to the chief of police for safekeeping.

For cleaning a vault without the necessary permit from the health department, H. H. Gibbs, 1113 South Nevada avenue, was fined $5 and costs in police court yesterday. All but $1 was remitted. Inspector D. Hayes of the health department says he notified Gibbs to employ a licensed person to clean the vault.

F. D. Emery has appealed to the county court from justice court, in the suit brought by him against B. Quackenbush for $135 for services rendered.

To recover back alimony amounting to $50 from Harry Robinson, Josephine Robinson filed suit in Justice A. P. Toombs' court yesterday. The case will be heard December 14.

Probation Officer Moore is on the trail of boys who throw snowballs at passersby. He has ordered a number of small boys to appear before him on this charge.

ADJOURNS THE INQUEST

Coroner's Jury Waits Testimony of Missing Witness Concerning Cherry Mine Disaster.

CHERRY, Ill., Dec. 9. Inquiry by the coroner's jury into the cause of the St. Paul mine disaster in which 300 men were killed, came to an abrupt close today without a verdict being reached.

The jury announced it would not consider returning a verdict until Alexander Rosenjack and Robert Deane, missing witnesses, either had been found or the county officials showed evidence of a genuine desire to find them.

It was agreed to adjourn until December 20, in order to give the officials opportunity to further search for the missing witnesses.

Immediately preceding adjournment John Hand, a miner from Spring Valley, who was among the first to enter the mine while fires were raging the day following the disaster, testified that he had heard signals for assistance from entombed miners, but that he could get no help from officials or experts to whom he told his story.

The miner said that he was standing at the top of the shaft when he heard repeated tappings that could not have been caused by anything but the picks of the entombed men.

STREET CAR OVERTURNED

DENVER, Dec. 9.—Mrs. George Byers was seriously injured, and two passengers slightly hurt, tonight when a Denver and Interurban car became unmanageable on the steep grade near West Eighth street and Julian court, and turned over. The trolley pole came off the wire, and the brakes would not hold the car on the icy rails.

Negotiations were recently concluded whereby a European syndicate takes control of the 16 best gem mines in Ceylon.

THREATEN TO RETALIATE

Texas Railroad Men Angry Over Detention of American Conductor in Mexican Jail.

DALHART, Tex., Dec. 9.—Angry because they have received no answers to their appeals to President Taft and Secretary of State Knox in behalf of James E. Cook, the American conductor in jail at Guadalajara, Mexico, railroad men here have appealed to Governor Campbell and Texas congressmen to interest themselves in Cook's case.

Local railroad men declare that if action for the relief of Cook is not taken soon they will retaliate by making it as unsafe for Mexican laborers to come into this section as they can. Five hundred dollars has been raised to defray the expenses of a campaign in behalf of Cook, who formerly worked here.

Cook was conductor of a freight train into Guadalajara and was arrested after the train was robbed, charged with complicity in the robbery, but has been refused bond, although his Mexican brakeman and several foreigners arrested at the same time and accused of receiving stolen goods are out on bond. Cook declares he was in the caboose making out his reports when the moving train was robbed and that his Mexican brakeman was supposed to be watching the train.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—It is said at the state department that the case of James E. Cook is taking its regular course before the Mexican courts.

The United States ambassador in Mexico has been directed to appeal to the Mexican authorities to expedite the trial of Cook. It is believed that undoubtedly he will be given a fair trial soon.

It is explained at the state department that under the Mexican law, a conductor of a railway train, under which or by which an unlawful act has been committed, is held to be responsible for the same until his innocence is established.

SECRETARY MEYER'S NAVAL ADVISERS

From left to right: Rear Admiral Sperry, Rear Admiral Wainwright, Rear Admiral W. P. Potter

REPRESENTATIVE BOUTELL HOPES TO SEE HIS DAUGHTER QUEEN OF SOCIAL WORLD

SIX TEAMS TIED IN BICYCLE RACE

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—A series of spills tonight robbed Rutt and Clark and Root and Fogler of two hard-earned laps, and slowed down the pace of the six-day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden. At 1 o'clock the score was:

Rutt and Clark, Hill and Stein, Root and Fogler, Walthour and Collins, Halstead and Lawrence, Pye and Hehir, 1961; Lawson and Demara, Mitten and West, 1960; Anderson and Vanoni, 1956; Georget and Georget, 1957; Cameron and Krebs, 1952; Germain and Carapezzi, 1,795.

The record for the ninety-eighth hour was 1985 miles made by Hill and Demara in 1908.

HITS ROOSEVELT PHYSICAL TESTS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Taking a square hit at the annual Roosevelt physical tests for army officers, Surgeon General Torney in his annual report made public today, says it is believed that the present test not only fails in the object it sought to attain a physical condition which would enable them to be always fit for active field service—but may result in serious damage to elderly officers.

The defect of the requirement as it appears to General Torney is that it requires officers to be fit only once a year. He wants them to be fit all the time.

FLETCHER SNEAD HIDING IN GANG OF LABORERS

GRAND JUNCTION, Dec. 9.—It is claimed by the local police that Fletcher Snead, the missing husband of Mrs. Ocey Wardlaw Snead, the mystery of whose death in East Orange, N. J., is still unsolved, is hiding among the 400 laborers on Orchard Mesa ditch. Albert Snead, his brother, and a beneficiary under the insurance policies held by Mrs. Snead, said tonight that he did not know the whereabouts of his brother. He said that Mrs. Snead was his first cousin, as well as his sister-in-law, and that their [illegible] named as beneficiary of [illegible]

CALHOUN TRIAL POSTPONED

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 9.—The trial of Patrick Calhoun, president of the United railroads of this city, was continued today by Judge William P. Lawlor until January 10. The continuance was granted at the request of the district attorney and counsel for the defense. District Attorney William H. Langdon explained that he desired to give the incoming district attorney, Charles M. Fickert, an opportunity to assist in the selection of the jury.

The dignity of labor may be all right, but lots of [illegible] are not breaking after dignity.

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WORK TO BE RESUMED ON BEN HUR PROPERTY

Lease Secured by Edward J. Boughton—Large Bodies of Low-Grade Ore Opened.

Special to The Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Colo., Dec. 9.—A two years' lease has been secured by Edward J. Boughton, a well-known attorney of this city, upon the Little King and Queen lode mining claims on the western slope of Gold hill from the Ben Hur Mining and Milling company, dating from January 1, 1910.

The Ben Hur properties are interconnected by the Goodwill tunnel, with the main shaft passing through the station cut to the north side of the tunnel. Large bodies of low-grade ore have been exposed on the Ben Hur properties, both in the surface and tunnel workings, and a fairly tonnage of medium grade ore was shipped from the mine by former lessees. The lessee will pay a flat royalty of 20 per cent on all ores marketed.

An examination will be made of the different workings by an expert engaged for the purpose and it will then be determined whether work will be carried on from the surface shafts or through the Goodwill tunnel. In any event the lessee will install the necessary machinery.

A carload shipment of smelting grade ore of from four to six ounces gold to the ton was loaded out yesterday from the Abe Lincoln mine, situated in Poverty Gulch and operated under lease from the Cripple Creek Mining and Development company the Stratton estate by John Sharpe of this city.

The ore was mined from the winze sunk 140 feet below the 700-foot level. At this depth a strong vein was encountered but the seepage water from the heavy rains of last spring and summer made its development impossible, the level having been submerged. Access was recently gained and the present shipment is the result of late work.

The shoot has been opened up for 125 feet in length, and as the drift was carried on the top of the shoot, rich ore awaits development as soon as the water recedes or the new drainage tunnel further drains the district.

A production of between 2,700 and 3,000 tons of ore, with an average value of $20 a ton, was made during November from the Cresson Consolidated Gold Mining and Milling company's properties on Raven and Bull hills. This heavy tonnage was taken out through the main shaft on the Draper claim on Raven hill, and loaded out over the Cresson aerial tramway at great saving to the company.

Leases on the El Paso Consolidated Gold Mining company's estate will exceed the tonnage made in November, should the present rate of production be maintained until the end of the month. An average of three cars a day, or between 75 and 90 tons, according to the capacity of the cards, has been loaded out from the ore house at the main shaft, and in addition shipments have been loaded out by team from the Little May and the two dump leases.

EASTERN LIVE STOCK

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Dec. 9—Hogs—Receipts, 32,000; market steady; mixed and butchers, $7.35@8.50; good heavy, $8.25@8.55; rough heavy, $8.00@8.25; light, $7.85@8.30; pigs, $6.25@7.40; bulk, $7.95@8.45.

Cattle—Receipts, 15,000, market 10c lower. Beeves, $4.40@9.25, cows and heifers, $2.75@6.60, stockers and feeders, $3.25@6.25; calves, $7.00@9.25. Texans, $5.00@6.25, stockers, $4.50@7.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 22,000; market steady. Sheep, $3.50@5.60; lambs, $4.75@8.40.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 9—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000 including 300 southerns; market steady to 10c lower. Native steers, $5.00@9.00; southern steers, $3.75@5.75; southern cows, $2.75@4.25; native cows and heifers, $2.50@6.50, stockers and feeders, $3.25@6.25; bulls, $3.00@4.60; calves, $3.75@9.00, western steers, $4.00@6.00; western cows, $2.75@4.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,000, market weak to 5c lower. Bulk of sales, $8.00@8.30; heavy, $8.15@8.35; packers and butchers, $8.10@8.30, light, $7.85@8.20, pigs, $6.75@7.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 6,000, market steady. Yearlings, $4.50@5.00, lambs, $6.00@8.00; fed western wethers and yearlings, $5.00@7.00, fed western ewes, $4.50@6.40.

COTTON.

Quotations Furnished by Otis & Hough.

	Open.	High	Low	Close
Dec.	14 76	14.78	14 69	14 66
Jan.	14 7	14.80	14 74	14 80
March	15 20	15 30	15 09	15 15
May	15 53	15 54	15 38	15 38
July	15 60	15 63	15 35	15 38
Aug.	14 88	15 06	14 90	14 96

MORE COLD WEATHER!

Says the Weather Man. Has your Horse the proper clothing to keep him warm, if not see our stock. We also have Storm Sheets and Automobile Covers. Our West Tent and Awning department.

LOWER MONEY RATE STRENGTHENS STOCKS

Action of Bank of England Immediately Reflected in New York Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9—The reduction in the Bank of England official discount rate today had a strengthening effect on the securities markets in all the great financial centers. The open discount rate in London has been in the neighborhood of 1 per cent below the bank rate for some time, and this discrepancy ordinarily would exclude the Bank of England from sharing in banking profits. Its measures to force up the money rate and attract gold to London have been at the cost of a profitable share in banking business for the time. The reduction serves as a notice that the safeguarding measures had been more than sufficient.

The exigencies of the British budget rejection have proved less, evidently, than was anticipated. The reduction of the rate came in spite of additional large withdrawals from the bank today for shipment to South America.

The question presents itself how far the diminished requirements of the London money market may be due to a halt in trade activity. The general effect of the lowered bank rate was cheering to financial markets, and was a prime factor in the strength of the New York stock market.

The demand which carried prices upwards was somewhat desultory and spotty in character. Many stocks not usually prominent were embraced in the movement. The trunk line group generally was strong, the differential lines moving with the main trunk lines. The rise in Rock Island stock and in Wabash preferred gave a new lease of life to rumors of a combination of those lines in connection with the interest secured in Lehigh Valley by the Rock Island controlling factors.

Amalgamated Copper and other metal and smelting industrials responded to reports that preliminary details of the proposed copper merger were going forward once more. United States Steel moved narrowly, and Reading showed comparative inertia in its action. An extra devidend by one of the leading copper producers was partly responsible for the strength in that group. The closing tone was strong after reaction.

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, $4,466,000. United States bonds unchanged on call.

Quotations Furnished by Otis & Hough.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Cotton Oil..	68¾	68¾	68½	68½
Am. Beet Sugar...	48½	48¾	47½	47½
Am. Sugar	123½	124¾	123¾	123½
Am Smelter	99¾	100⅛	99¾	100
do pfd	111¾	111¾	111¾	111
Am. Car Foundry	73	73½	72¾	73½
Addison	122	122½	122	122½
Anaconda	49	49¼	49	49¼
Amal Copper ...	87½	88⅜	87½	87¾
Brooklyn R. T. ..	82¼	82½	81½	82⅛
B. & O.	117	117¾	116⅞	117¾
C., M. & St. P...	155½	156⅞	155½	156⅞
C. R. I. & Pac...	39⅞	41¼	39¾	42¼
do pfd	86¾	90	86¾	90¾
Ches. & Ohio	88⅝	88¾	88⅛	88½
Canadian Pac. ..	181⅛	181½	181	181½
C. F. & I.	50⅝	51¼	50⅝	50¾
D. & R. G.	50	50	50	50
Erie	33⅜	33¾	33½	33½
do 1st pfd	48¾	49⅞	48¾	48¾
Gt. N. pfd	143	143½	143	143½
Gt. N. Ore Ctfs..	81	81¼	80⅝	80⅝
General Electric..	159⅞	159⅞	159⅞	159⅞
Illinois Cen.	146¼	146½	146¼	146½
K. C. Southern ..	43⅞	44½	43¾	44⅛
L. & N.	151¾	152½	151¾	152½
Mex. Central	23	23⅛	23	23⅛
M., K. & T.	48½	50	48⅛	49⅝
Missouri Pac. ...	71	71¼	71	71
National Lead ..	88⅝	89	88⅝	88⅞
N. Y. Central ...	127¼	129½	127¼	129½
N. & W.	98	100⅞	98	100¼
N. Y. Con. Gas..	150½	151¾	150½	151
N. Y., Ont. & W.	49¾	50	49½	49½
Northern Pac. ...	143¾	144½	143¾	144¼
Pennsylvania	131¼	134¼	131¼	134
Peoples Gas	114½	114⅝	114½	114⅝
Pacific Mail	43¾	43¾	43⅝	43⅝
Pressed S. C. Co.	52½	52¾	52½	52¾
Reading	171½	171¾	170¾	171½
do pfd	106½	106½	106½	106½
Rep. I. & S.	46¾	46¾	46⅝	46⅝
Southern Ry. ...	31¾	31⅞	31¾	31¾
Southern Pac. ..	130½	130½	130	130½
Texas Pac	35	35¼	35	35¼
Union Pac.	201½	202¼	201⅝	202
U. S. Rubber	53¼	53¼	53	53
U. S. Steel	91⅝	92	91⅝	91¾
do pfd	125	125¼	125	125
Utah Copper	58½	59⅝	58⅝	59
Vir.-Car. Chem...	49⅝	49¼	49⅛	49¼
Wabash	20⅞	21½	20⅞	21¼
do pfd	57	58¼	57	57½
Western Union ..	78⅝	78⅝	78½	78½
Am. T. & T. Co.	141	143	141	142¾
C. & N. W.	177½	178⅝	177½	178⅝
Del. & Hudson..	182½	183¾	182½	183¾
Inter. Met pfd..	62½	62½	62	62½
U. P. pfd	103	103	103	103

Total sales, 786,500.

Money closed, 4@5 per cent.

NEW YORK CURB STOCKS.

Quotations furnished by Otis & Hough.

	Bid.	Ask.
Arizona Com.	44½	44¾
Boston Cons.	20¼	20⅝
Butte Coalition	29	29⅛
Cumberland Ely	09½	09¾
Chino	19⅝	19½
Ely Central	01¾	01⅞
Giroux Cons.	18⅝	18¾
Goldfield Cons.	08	08½
Gila	08½	08⅝
Helvetia	06¾	06⅞
Inspiration	07⅝	07½
Miami	18½	18⅞
Nevada Cons.	27½	27⅝
Nipissing	10⅝	11
Ray Cons.	22¼	22⅝
Ray Central	02⅝	02½
United Copper	07	07¾

MONEY AND BONDS

NEW YORK, Dec. 9—Close Prime mercantile paper, 5@5½ per cent; sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 484.25@484.35 for 60-day bills and at 487.75 for demand.

Commercial bills, 484.¾@484¼.

Bar silver, 51⅞.

Mexican dollars, 44c.

Government bonds steady, railroad bonds firm.

Money on call firm, 4¼@5 per cent, ruling rate and closing bid, 4¾ per cent; offered at 4¾ per cent.

Time loans slightly easier, 60 days, 4¾@5 per cent, 90 days, 4¾ per cent, six months, 4½ per cent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9—At the metal exchange today business continued quiet. Copper was unchanged, while tin developed strength in sympathy with the market in London advancing ¾c. Quotations: Copper spot December and January 12.75@13.00, February, 12.87@13.12½, spelter 6.10@6.27½, tin 32.40@32.50.

LONDON, Dec. 9—Bar silver, steady at 23¾d, advance ⅛d.

WOOL.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 9—Wool unchanged; territory and western mediums 24@27, fine mediums, 20@25, fine, 18@21.

WHEAT SETTLES BACK AFTER A BIG BULGE

Shorts Bid For Their Delivery Up Two Cents in Efforts to Cover. Closes Steady.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Wheat for December delivery advanced to $1.10⅝ here today, during a session marked by considerable bullish enthusiasm. The market, however, failed to maintain the gain, and at the close prices were a shade lower to ⅝ higher than the previous close. Corn and oats closed firm, and provisions strong.

A bulge of nearly 2 cents in the price of December was the feature of trading in the wheat pit. The market was congested throughout the day, and offerings were eager. Small receipts at all primary points, and high premiums paid for the cash grain, contributed to a large extent to the urgent demand for the current month.

The market opened firm, unchanged to ¼ higher, with December at $1.09 to $1.09⅛, and May at $1.06 to $1.06⅛. Persistent efforts of shorts in December to cover gradually forced prices up until the current month touched $1.10⅝. May, in the meantime, advanced to $1.08⅝. The market closed about steady, with December $1.09⅝ and May $1.06⅛.

Activity and strength characterized trading in corn. A slight improvement in demand for the cash grain by eastern shippers was reported, but sales were still light. An advance of ½c in the price of cash corn also stimulated demand for futures. The close was firm, a shade to ⅝@¾ higher.

Exceedingly light receipts inspired active demand for oats, resulting in a strong tone. Cash oats were from ½ to ½c higher at the sample tables. The market closed firm, with prices ¼ to ½ higher.

Provisions closed 7½ to 25c higher.

Quotations Furnished by Otis & Hough.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat				
Dec.	109	110⅝	109	109⅝
May	108	108⅝	108	108¼
July	98⅞	99¼	98½	98⅞
Corn—				
Dec.	59	59½	58¾	58¾
May	62⅝	63¾	62	62½
July	61⅝	62¼	61⅝	62
Oats—				
Dec.	41⅞	42⅝	41⅞	42¼
May	43½	44¼	43½	43¾
July	41¼	41⅝	41⅛	41⅛
Pork—				
Jan.	21.40	21.55	21.37	21.50
May	20.80	21.00	20.82	20.95

COLORADO SPRINGS MINING STOCKS

MINES

	Bid.	Ask.
Acacia	06	07¼
C. C. Con.	03¼	03¾
C. K. & N.	11½	14½
Dante	07	07¾
Dr. Jack Pot	07¾	07¾
Elkton	73¾	73
El Paso	60¾	62
Fanny R.	07	08
Findley	09¾	10½
Gold Dollar Con.	10½	12
Golden Eagle	10	..
Gold Sov.	04¾	05
Isabella	20	20¾
Jack Pot	07	07½
Lexington	01¼	02
Mary Cashan	..	02¾
Mary McKinney	46¾	49
Moon Anchor	01¾	02
Old Gold	04½	04½
Phenomenal	03½	03½
Portland	83¾	83¾
Prince Albert	02	02¾
Vindicator	72¾	73¾
Work	06	07

UNLISTED

	Bid.	Ask.
Golden Cycle	140	300
Jennie Sample	08	08½
Jerry J.	07	08¾
U. G. M.	10½	10¾

PROSPECTS

	Bid.	Ask.
Banner	03	03½
Blue Bell	01½	..
Bob Lee	..	01
Buckhorn	008	..
C. C. & M.	..	01½
Dee Moines	..	01½
Fountleroy	.0075	..
Gold	01¾	02¼
Ida May	008	01
Jolly Jane	005	01
Keystone	008	..
Little Beasie	.X	007
Little Nell	03	08
Little Puck	01¼	03
Magnet Rock	..	03
Mary Nevins	03¾	03¾
Mountain Beauty	02	03
National	001	..
New Haven	005	01
Pilgrim	01	..
Raven & B. H.	01½	01½
Republic	01¾	01¾
Requa Savage	04¾	05¼
Rose M.	01¾	[illegible]
St. Thomas	01¾	02
Teutonic	005	.0055

MISCELLANEOUS

	Bid.	Ask.
Blanche	..	01
Black Jack	01¾	01¾
Cable Con	003	..
Favorite	..	002
Flower West	004	006
Grace	..	.0025
Greater G. Belt	002	..
Hayden Gold	..	003
Marion	..	01
Matoa	02	02½
Missouri	004	006
Nellie V.	001	006
O K	004	..
Olive B.	.0055	..
Pointer	..	01
Progress	..	01
Texas Girl	004	.0045
Uncle Sam	002	.0045

SEPARATE SALES

Elkton, 610 at 73, 600 at 72¾; El Paso, 500 at 61, Gold Sov., 1,000 at 5, Jack Pot, 1,000 at 7, Portland, 500 at 83, Vindicator, 1,500 at 72½, Work, 1,000 at 6½, Jennie S., 3,000 at 8, U. G. M., 2,300 at 10½, 1,000 at 10¾; Republic, 2,000 at 1¾, Mary N., 2,000 at 3¾; Requa Savage, 1,000 at 5, Hayden, 2,000 at .001.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 9—Cash wheat unchanged. No. 2 hard, $1.04@1.05, No. 3, $1.01@1.09, No. 2 red, $1.15@1.22, No. 3, $1.12@1.18.

Corn nominally unchanged. No. 2 mixed, 60½@60¾c, No. 3, 60¼@60½c; No. 2 white, 60½@61c; No. 3, 60½@60¾c.

Oats nominally unchanged. No. 2 white, 43@44, No. 2 mixed, 41@42c.

Rye, 66@75c.

Hay unchanged to $1.00@1.50 higher. Choice timothy $12.50@13.00, choice prairie, $11.00.

Receipts—Wheat, 16 cars.

Close—Wheat, December $1.09@1.09¼, May 1.06¾, July 93¾.

Corn, December 60¾, May, 61¼@60½, July, 61@61¼.

HOLIDAY SLIPPERS. All our new ones are here; get them early.

Robbins

Colorado City News

COUNCIL TO REDUCE THE POLICE FORCE

Will Drop One Man. Several Women Struck by Bicyclists Riding on Sidewalks.

At a meeting of the police committee of the city council, held Wednesday night at the home of Alderman E. R. Ripley, 1125 Colorado avenue, it was decided to reduce the present police force from five members to four. Although the force will be reduced, probably, at the next council meeting, it has not been decided whether the change will be permanent or not. Alderman J. R. Thrasher said yesterday that the officer who will be dropped has not been chosen, but that the matter will be definitely decided when the council meets. Alderman Thrasher refused to discuss the reason for reducing the force.

The committee also decided that all men and boys who are caught riding on the sidewalks in the future shall be arrested and prosecuted. Several women have been struck by bicycle riders on sidewalks in the last week, and the police have instructions to see that such actions stop.

TOUR OF THE WORLD.

Dr. R. F. Rohling, Miss Clara Rohling and H. F. Rohling will leave the latter part of January for a year's tour of the world. They will sail from San Francisco, visiting in Japan and China first. While in Vienna, Dr. Rohling will study under some of the famous physicians, and may study in Paris for a few weeks. The party expects to visit in every prominent part of the world that is available, and will be in attendance at the "Passion Play" which is to be given at Oberammergau, in northern Switzerland. This play is given only once every 10 years, and Dr. Rohling and party will be there about the middle of next July, when the play is at the height.

COLORADO CITY NEWS NOTES

J. N. Richards is ill at his home, 320 Lincoln avenue.

Frank Hilliard, 13 South Fourth street, is able to be out after a short illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Birdsall left yesterday for Sacramento, Cal., where they will spend the winter.

Several men are busy hauling gravel for the improvement of the walks and drives in Fairview cemetery.

Mrs. M. Sucy has gone to Oklahoma City, Okla., for a short visit with her son, who is in business in that section.

Mrs. Will Sutherland, wife of the hardware man, is confined to her home on Monroe street, with a bad attack of la grippe.

Duff Malone, formerly of this city, now residing at Wilcox, is in the city visiting friends and attending to business matters.

William Powell of 1016 Lincoln avenue is able to be out after a four weeks' illness, caused by an accident in the Standard mills.

City Engineer Gale is at work on a new map of Colorado City, which will include the recent additions. The map will be finished next week.

The merchants are beginning to decorate their windows for the Christmas trade, and a number of tastily-arranged exhibits have been prepared.

The High School Literary society will give a play this afternoon in the High school auditorium. A Christmas program is being prepared for next Friday.

D. Minium, the veteran furniture dealer, left yesterday morning for an extended trip in Texas, California and Oregon. He will be gone for several months.

The Baptist church was forced to dispense with the prayer meeting service Wednesday night, due to the basement being flooded with water, caused by bursting of the pipes.

J. H. Ridenour of Muskogee, Okla., who has been attending to business matters in this city during the last few days, expects to return next Tuesday, and will take a car of Colorado horses with him.

Crystal temple, No. 5, Pythian Sisters, will meet early this evening in K. P. hall to dispose of several business matters before the social and entertainment. A short initiation program has been arranged. Adjournment will be followed by dancing and refreshments.

No driver has been secured for the fire department, to take the place of Fred Ward, who was given the position of chief, taking the place of L. C. Moats, at the last council meeting. It is probable that a new driver will be selected at the next council meeting.

The Colorado City W. C. T. U. will hold a mother's meeting this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Feathers, 1117 Lincoln avenue. The program will be in charge of Mrs. Bowers and Mrs. Curtis, and Mrs. Hullinger will have charge of the music. All interested in the work are cordially invited.

The Homesteaders met last night in regular session, initiating eight candidates. Committees were appointed to make arrangements for the installation exercises, which will be held the first meeting in January. An elaborate program has been prepared for this occasion, and a social and dance will follow the regular installation services.

The High school basketball team will play the city team this evening in Mack's hall. The team has been practicing faithfully for the last two weeks, and is in good condition for the season. The first game with an outside team will be played next Friday night, with the Central High school team of Pueblo. The students are boosting their team, and hope to have a large crowd at both games.

The nights of Pythias, in session Wednesday night, decided to hold a social and entertainment on January 19, the night of their installation exercises. They have secured the Hallowell Concert company to provide the music, and have made arrangements for one of the most complete entertainments of the kind ever held in the city. After the installation exercises and the program, the members and invited friends will adjourn to the hall room where an elaborate supper and dance will be held. The Pythians are planning to make this occasion one of the best in the history of the lodge.

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HOW TO TEST A MAN.

New York Tribune.

"Play cards with a man for an hour and you will know him better than if you had met him in the drawing room every evening for a year," says a German writer. But "Sonia" in a recent number of Figaro suggests another character barometer. A never-failing test is the hotel room. The way a man arranges his room in a hotel shows whether he has been well reared, what his ideas of propriety are, whether he is methodical or slovenly, and one may even know by the way wearing apparel, ornaments and baggage are disposed of in a room which the occupant knows he will remain in only a few days whether he is thoroughly or superficially educated. "If I had a daughter for whom a young man sued," says "Sonia," "I would have him go to a summer resort where I could surprise him in his hotel room. In less than 15 minutes my verdict would be rendered on the basis of the room's appearance."

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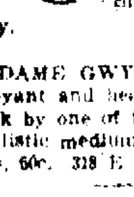

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF THE GOLD SOVEREIGN MINING AND TUNNEL COMPANY.

The deferred annual meeting of the stockholders of the GOLD SOVEREIGN MINING AND TUNNEL COMPANY will be held at the office of the company in Cripple Creek, Colorado, on the 4th day of January, 1910, at ten o'clock, a.m., for the purpose of electing directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

The stock transfer books of the Company will be closed at 3:00 p.m., December 24th, 1909, and remain closed until 10 a.m., January 5th, 1910.

O. H. HINDS, President.
C. G. JACKSON, Secretary.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.
The annual meeting of The Chamber of Commerce of Colorado Springs, Colorado, for the election of four directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting, will be held on Tuesday, December 14th, 1909, at 5:30 o'clock p. m., at the Antlers hotel.
By order of the board of directors.
A. W. HENDERSON, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
Colorado Springs, Colo., November 15, 1909.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of THE ACACIA GOLD MINING COMPANY will be held on Thursday, December 16, A. D. 1909, at 2 p. m., at the office of the company, 211-212 Mining Exchange Building, City of Colorado Springs, Colorado, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of any and all business that may properly come before the meeting. If you cannot be present in person, please sign proxy and return.

Books for transfer of stock will close at 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, December 9, 1909, and remain closed until final adjournment of the meeting.

A dividend of One Cent a Share will be paid to all stockholders of record, December 9, 1909. Checks will be mailed along with the Annual Report, December 20, 1909.

KENNETH M'KENZIE, President.
Attest:
K. MACDERMID, Secretary.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
All stockholders of the Industrial Fuel & Ice company are requested to meet in Carpenters' hall, 129 East Kiowa street, Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Business of importance.
J. L. SCHAEFFER, President.
L. A. SWANSON, Secretary.

THE MARY M'KINNEY MINING CO.
Amount, $13,092.52.
Total to date, $981,270.48.
Notice is hereby given that a dividend of 1 cent per share has been declared upon the outstanding stock of the Mary McKinney Mining Company, payable December 23, 1909.
Transfer books close December 13, 1909, and reopen December 24, 1909.
By order of the board of directors.
CHARLES CASTELLO,
Asst. Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.
The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of The Antlers Hotel Company, for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the said meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, in the Gazette Building, Colorado Springs, Colorado, on the second Monday (10th day) of January, 1910, at twelve o'clock noon.
W. W. POSTLETHWAITE,
Secretary.

Wants

LOST.

LOST—Lady's black pocketbook, containing 2 $10 bills, 1½ yd. black ribbon, 1 letter, 1 handkerchief, between the hours of 8 p. m. and 11:30 p. m., between Tejon and Santa Fe R. R. tracks, on Kiowa. Return this office, reward.

LOST—Probably near Iron Springs, Manitou, about Aug. 25th, a Colorado School of Mines graduate pin, set with diamond and pearls, and name, W. D. Waltman, engraved on back. Reward for return to Gazette.

LOST—Black velvet reticule on Colorado avenue car or between avenue and 1814 Hayes, Colorado City, containing pair gold-rimmed eyeglasses and $39 or $40. Reward if returned this office.

LOST—Small black leather purse containing change and keys, between postoffice and Caramillo St., Wed. eve. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—Lady's pocketbook, between San Rafael stables and Austin bluffs, containing some silver and a key. Return to Gazette office. Reward.

LOST—Imitation mink cape, Thursday evening, between Schofield's and Arcularius drug store. Reward for return to Gazette.

BLACK pocketbook; contained between $3 and $4; on Wahsatch, between Vermijo and Pikes Peak. Reward for return to Gazette.

LOST—Package silver braid, Friday p. m., on Tejon St., between Hibbard's and Giddings'. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—A jet chain and gold-mounted lion claw charm, in business section, Monday afternoon. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Gold brooch, with crescent, head and small pearls in center. Reward if returned to Gazette office.

LOST—Gold necklace with small heart, between High School and Willamette; initials D. T. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—2 strings of coral beads, on Weber or Nevada, between Columbia and Del Norte. Return to Gazette office.

LOST—Gold necklace with gold cross attached; engraved Maud Lowe. Return to Gazette office. Reward.

LOST—Small fur neckpiece, Monday afternoon, near Pikes Peak Ave. and Tejon. Return this office. Reward.

LOST—Child's white fur, between North park and Pikes Peak and Tejon St. Return this office.

LOST—An imitation pearl necklace with gold clasp. Return to Gazette office for reward.

LOST—Small brooch with braid of hair covered with glass. Reward for return to Gazette.

LOST—A green and black carriage robe, at Seven Falls. Please return to Gazette office.

LOST—Marten fur, near Colo. Ave. and 13th St., about Oct. 27. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Purse containing small amount of money and key. Reward. Return to Gazette.

LOST—Package containing pair of lady's black cloth gaiters, from Vorhes. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—Gold breastpin, between Public library and Bijou. Reward for return to Gazette.

LOST—Or taken from go-cart, black bag containing two pocketbooks, check book, etc. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—Between Garden of the Gods and city, kodak tripod. Leave at Gazette office.

LOST—Brown, student's notebook, containing list of names. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—Brown and black laprobe, blown from auto on Pikes Peak ave. Return Wills, Spackman & Kent.

LOST—Lace collar with name and approval check from Giddings. Return this office.

LOST—Gold frat pin; initial W. T. M.; lost Saturday morning. Return this office. Reward.

LOST—Mink fur collar, Thanksgiving, 5 p. m., on southbound Tejon St. open car. Reward for return to Gazette.

LOST—Blue belt with solid silver belt buckle, Sunday evening. Reward for return to Gazette.

LOST—Saturday, pair eye glasses, clei clasps. Return this office, reward.

LOST—Waterman fountain pen. Finder please return to Gazette office. Reward.

LOST—Boy's muskrat fur gloves. Return to Gazette for reward.

LOST—Brown fur muff, lined purple; reward for return to Gazette.

LOST—Latchkey, marked "5 West View." Reward at Gazette.

LOST—Gold Pearsons pin. Return to Gazette office. Reward.

LOST—Small diamond ring, on South Tejon. Return to Gazette office. Reward.

LOST—Pair brown trousers on South Nevada. Return to Gazette for reward.

LOST—Lady's gold ring, opal and diamond setting. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—K. of P. charm. Please return to Gazette office.

LOST—Fountain pen, in the Exchange bank. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Gold and sable collie. Reward. 1417 N. Chestnut. Phone Red 434.

LOST—Pair of rimless eyeglasses. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—Plain gold locket with name [illegible] D. E. Return this office; reward.

LOST—String of white rosary beads. Reward at Gazette.

LOST Man's fur-lined glove, on Pikes Peak or Tejon. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—Plain gold pin; oval shape; monogram A. C. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—Gold [illegible] Return this office. [illegible]

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DAILY WEATHER RECORD.

The following meteorological record is furnished by the Colorado Springs weather bureau for 24 hours ending at 6 o'clock p. m.:

Temperature at 6 a. m.	24
Temperature at 12 m.	36
Temperature at 6 p. m.	34
Maximum temperature	42
Minimum temperature	19
Mean temperature	30
Max. bar. pres., inches	23.83
Min. bar. pres., inches	23.67
Mean vel. of wind per hour	5
Max. vel. of wind per hour	10
Relative humidity at noon	52
Dew point at noon	21
Precipitation in inches	0

WEATHER FOR COLORADO.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Snow Friday; Saturday colder and generally fair, except snow in the mountains.

City Briefs

FINELY furnished rooms. Y. M. C. A.

DANCING school tonight at Majestic hall. Private lessons every day.

STEEL ARRIVES—Seventeen cars of structural steel for the Pikes Peak avenue undercrossing at the Santa Fe station have arrived, and will be put on the ground in a few days.

COW FOUND—A black and white cow, found on the west side, is being held by the police awaiting the appearance of its owner.

YEOMEN social Friday night. Cards, dancing and refreshments. Public invited, 10c.

WE advise the purchase of all the shares you can secure in the Collins Wireless Telephone company. A sure winner and fine investment.

Special Sale

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PASSES EXAMINATION—Charles E. Wahl of Manitou recently passed the pharmacy examination held in Denver at the Gross Medical college.

HEATHEN WORLD—Dr. Howard Agnew Johnston of the First Presbyterian church will preach on "The Explanation of the Heathen World," at the evening service Sunday.

COUNTY CENSUS According to information received by the county commissioners yesterday, a census will be taken in El Paso county in the immediate future for the United States statistical bureau.

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Pure Apple Cider gal	30¢
Fitts Baking Powder, 25c size	20¢
Fresh Salmon, lb.	15¢
Fresh Halibut, lb.	15¢
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There will be remnants of nearly every kind of Piece Goods: Sheetings, Calicoes, Percales, Waistings, Flannels, Shirtings, Silkolines, White Goods, many kinds of Drapery Materials and

A Great Variety of Wool and Silk Remnants

A vast amount of short lengths accumulated from our annual December sale now going on. One will find lengths suitable for nearly any kind of a garment and there's a representative from nearly every weave in stock.

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but not before. Nearly everyone knows of the many bargains secured during a sale of this sort. The mission of such a sale is to clear our stock of all short lengths and for this reason Remnants will not be taken back or exchanged.

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75c Dress Goods for	60c	$1.50 Dress Goods for	$1.20	$3.00 Dress Goods for	$2.40
85c Dress Goods for	68c	$1.75 Dress Goods for	$1.40	$3.50 Dress Goods for	$2.80
$1.00 Dress Goods for	80c	$2.00 Dress Goods for	$1.60	$4.00 Dress Goods for	$3.20
$1.25 Dress Goods for	$1.00	$2.25 Dress Goods for	$1.80	$4.50 Dress Goods for	$3.60
$1.35 Dress Goods for	$1.08	$2.50 Dress Goods for	$2.00	$5.00 Dress Goods for	$4.00

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Doll Carriages, 75c on up to folding carts, $10.
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